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# Thai Warfare Stepped Up

BANGKOK (Reuter) - Communist guerrillas have stepped up their operations and imposed the heaviest government casualties yet in their 11-year-old battle to take over Thailand. In November, 54 members of Thai military forces were killed — the most killed in any month of the insurgency

More troops have been thrown into the fighting in southern Thailand, where the

# Beirut southern Thailand, where the Commurists are entrenched in mountain bases. Fighting always increases with the arrival of the dry season in northern Thailand in November, but this time the Communists have been inflicting heavier losses on government forces. The, Communist Party of Thailand (CPT) \*\*Preceived a boost to its morale when about 600 left wing students fled to the jungle after the right wing military coup in Bangkok last October. The students have provided the CPT with a ready\*made propaganda force in their bid to win over villagers to the Communist rause. Car Blast Kills 40

Times News Services BEIRUT — A new gun bat-tle broke out today in Chris-tian-held east Beirut where a powerful car bomb blast killed 40 persons and wounded more than 50 others Monday night in the capital's worst act of violence since peace-keeping troops entered the

Five persons were reported killed in today's outbreak. Right-wing Phalangist sources said a car carrying what they called "Communists" fired on called "Communists" lired on passers-by in the Dora su-burb, killing three persons and wounding others. Phalan-gist militiamen chased and caught the car, killing two ocother two.

The shooting was not far from the Ashrafieh sector of the city where a powerful bomb explosion shattered the relative peace of the capital Monday night.

The Phalangist radio put the toll at 40 killed and 53 wounded in the bomb explosion, the worst single act of violence since the Arab peace-keeping force entered Beirut in mid-November.

Nobody has claimed responsibility for the explosion and officials have declined to speculate on who might have

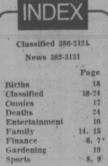
been behind it.

The blast took place near the headquarters of the Pha-langist party's security forces. Phalangist party mili-tants reacted to the bombing by blocking main access roads to eastern Beirut from the Moslem sector with barri-cades of burning tires.

The broadcast also said an

unidentified alien tried to enter the Christian enclave in an auto loaded with more than 40 pounds of dynamite. He was arrested by Christian militia and turned over to the League force supervising the have been travelling, south ceasefire, the radio said.

Phalange leader Pierre Ca Chamoun appealed to their followers and residents of the Christian area to remain calm let the peace force handle the situation.



WEATHER

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Tonight: Clearing Wednesday: Sunny



All Adrift

Chasing ducks across the ice was fun, until a tug came by and shattered his playground, this pup discovered Monday on the Charles River in Boston. He scrambled on to the nearest ice floe, where he was spotted by passers-by on the bank who called for



# Not Even a Slick Shows Fate Of Tanker Lost in Atlantic

puter to determine the pri-mary search area for the 642-foot tanker.

An Argus aircraft criss-

crossed an area of the Atlantic for over five hours Monday but found nothing, he

cable about 2 p.m. The captain, T. K. Tsou . . . said he encountered heavy weather

and had reduced speed to nine

call from the captain about 3

Weeks

speed to about five knots.

Times News Services Canadian and American air

say there is no evidence any of the students have joined CPT fighting units, but some are believed undergoing training. In northern Thailand, the Communists killed 22 soldiers in ambushing a military truck-Christees Der

Christmas Day.

The ambush occurred as the

troops were on their way to help defend a post near the Loatian border following a re-

port that it was under attack

Capt. Donald Robson said
"all available equipment will
be used" for the search by
air, Weather conditions in the
search area were described today in their hunt for a tanker missing six days in the Atlantic Ocean with 38 Chi-nese crew members and 8.2 million gallons of heavy oil as "excellent." aboard.

search today to cover an es-timated 34,000 square miles, Petty Officer William van Valkenberg of the U.S. coast guard said, "The main search area has moved south along the course the ship should in New York. "We received a

"So far no traces have been found of the ship — no debris, no oil slick," he said. "And there has been no radio con-

Grand Zenith, owned by Zenith Navigations of Panama, nith Navigations of Panama, left England Dec. 19 bound for Providence, R.L., where it was due Sunday, Jan. 2. It was last reported Thursday about 50 miles south of Cape Sable, on the southermost tip of Nova Scotia.

Officials said no distress signal was received from the

signal was received from the Zenith and there was no explanation why it was missing

U.S. Coast guard head-quarters, which took over coordination of the search from Canadian searchers today, said a Canadian Argus longdistance patrol craft was joined today by a U.S. coast guard helicopter, a Navy P3 aircraft and an Air Force C-130, along with the coast guard gutter Dallas in the guard gutter Dallas in the telling me they've

area was good, with a visibility of about seven miles.

A spokesman for the search

and rescue co-ordination centre in Halifax said data on weather and sea conditions in that area for the past five days would be fed into a com-

# Heard 'Rumors'

about the stock trading activi-ties of Cheyenne Petroleum and Quasar Petroleum! Weeks said today that after

"I've heard plenty of Weeks refused to elaborate

on the calls and said he expects to talk to his lawyer before making any further

officers of the RCMP comofficers of the RCMP commercial fraud squad, investigators from the government's securities branch and Gerry Cross, director of civil law in the attorney-general's finistry, was launched more than two weeks ago.

The probe covers stock trading activities of the two

trading activities of the two firms. Weeks was fired by his boss, Economic Development Minister Don Phillips, for owning shares in Cheyenne.

government approval of a \$100 million gas pipeline in northeast B.C. which will ben-efit both Quasar and



Toronto reporters mob Prince

# HE'S ANDREW THE PRETENDER

TORONTO (CP) — Prince Andrew says he hopes to study dramatics while at school in Canada because he

The 16-year-old second son of Queen Elizabeth, who arrived in Toronto on Monday on his way to a private school near Peterborough, Ont., told reporters at an informal reception today that a love of dramatics runs in his

'He said he sometimes gets bored being himself and likes to take on other roles. His elder brother, Charles, is better at dramatics than he is, Prince Andrew added.

Prince Andrew asked almost as many questions as he swered. He wanted to know how large Canadian newspapers are and why Canadian television stations have so many commercials.

When asked about girls, he said he likes girls the same as anyone else. He added that he was interested in all Canadians, not just the girls. 

# Taxes Slow B.C. Growth

By AL FORREST Times Staff

Investor confidence will be low in British Columbia during 1977 for a number of reasons, including high taxes levied by the provincial government, the Employers council of B.C. said today.

Council president Bill Hamilton said increases in income and sales taxes as well as other government charges in 1876 have drained off funds that could have stimulated the

In an annual forecast, the council said British Columbia's net increase in its gross national product should be equal to or just under the projected national total of 4.2 per cent in 1977, down from 4.8 per cent in 1976.

per cent in 1976.

British Columbia has a number of problems, he said, including a slow recovery for the forest and mining indus-

Other problems were inherited from the New Democratic Party government.

These included deficit budgets and overrums. However, the Social Credit government, in making corrections, has acted too strongly, too soon, Hamilton said.

"A strong case can be made that, had the corrections been phased in more gradually consumer spending would have been at least a moderately stimulative force during the past year."

The government went too far with its increases in personal and corporate income taxes and its increase in the sales tax to seven per cent from five per cent, he said.

In addition, Insurance Corporation of B.C. premiums were doubled as were ferry rates.

rates.

Hamilton said stores will notice a sharp drop in sales during the early part of this year as the new ICBC pre-

miums become due.

But despite this slow start, retail sales should top the rate of inflation in 1977, which rate of initation in 1371, which would represent a growth of about eight per cent. Canada's inflation is expected to be between 6.5 per cent, and eight per cent, despite the national target of six per cent, Hamilton said

Hamilton said.

Department store sales in Vancouver were up only 4.4 per cent during the first nine months of 1976, compared with a national average of 13.8 per cent, he said.

While the strong actions by

the government have been

detrimental to retail sales, there are signs that the new

WORDPLAY



DOLLAR UP

CANBERRA (AFP) - The lued slightly today, moving to a central rate of \$1.0874 U.S. for \$1 Australian from last Friday's rate of \$1.0864.

investor confidence over the long term, Hamilton said. The business community is not concerned so much with what the government is doing as it is about the speed and

harshness of its first actions.

The province can look forward to steady improvement in lumber sales but pulp production may decline.

Mining operations require a stronger world economy to increase sales but the outlook for coal is good.

The extension of the fishing

limit to 200 miles should increase the Canadian catch and should result in increased sales to Japan, Hamilton said.
The forecast is prepared in co-operation with a board of economists.

### NFLD. BOATS REFUSE TO FISH

ST. JOHN'S, Nfid. (CP) - Newfoundland's trawler fleet

stayed in port Monday because of a contract dispute that may not be resolved until at least Thursday.

About 1,000 trawlermen, members of the Newfoundland Fishermen, Food and Allied Workers, are attempting to negotiate a two-year contract. The union has accused fish processing companies, which own the trawlers, of stalling on the matter.

Conciliation officer Cyril Churchill said he had arranged a meeting between representatives of the two sides for Thurs-

public but union officials say a prime factor is safety condi-tions aboard ships.

# Ocean Falls Workers Quit Over Ferries

OCEAN FALLS - Transportation problems along the coast are causing this town's provincially-operated pulp and paper mill to lose em-

ployees.

And the breakdown of the launch Bella Bella, which has been running a connecting ser-vice with the Queen of Prince Rupert, means further hard-ship, Harvey Inskip, Ocean Falls townsite co-ordinator, said Monday. "If the mill suffers, we all

suffer," said Inskip, who is also a member of the Coastal Transportation Action Com-mittee which represents communities between northern Vancouver Island and Prince Rupert left without scheduled service since federal subsidies to Northland Navigation

ended in November. ended in November.

The launch has been towed to Prince Rupert for repairs but, said Inskip, the replacement vessel — supposed to be the Malibu Princess from the Queen Charlotte Islands run—has not yet appeared.

has not yet appeared. "Any remote community like this has a large turnover

of workers," he said. "In the past there has been little difficulty keeping new people coming in but now it's a different story. 'How can you attract em

their lives are worth to reach it? The situation would be ri-diculous if it weren't so serious."

A recent test run by Inskip and other committee members found that it took 25 hours to travel from Ocean Falls to Victoria, a distance of about 340 miles. Without a launch, however, passengers are dependent on small charter aircraft which may be grounded for days by bad

### **RESCUER** JOLTED

TORONTO (CP) - Peter Brown, 18, of Toronto was in satisfactory condition in hospital after being stunned by 8,000 volts of electricity when he went to the aid of a man whose car had struck a hydro pole Monday night.

He suffered third-degree burns to his hands and was thrown about 15 feet by the jolt after he touched the car on which live hydro lines had

in the snow to smother the

Thomas Sergi, 48, also of Toronto, emerged unharmed when the downed lines were

He was not electrocuted be cause the car's rubber tires acted as an insulator, preventing the electric charge from passing to the ground.

## Oil Blast Injures One

BILLINGS, Mont. (AP) Explosions and fire engulfed an Exxon Oil Co. refinery near Billings Monday night, but-authorities said apparent ly only one person was in-The fire was believed to

have been fueled by a rup-tured pipeline and flames ini-The town fathers say the tially shot 200 feet into the air See WORKERS Page 2 but soon began to diminish.

# Cabinet Minister Suicide Shakes Israel

Times News Services
TEL AVIV — Housing Minister Avraham Ofer, one of
Premier Yitzhak Rabin's
closest confidants, shot him-

the face of a widespread cor-ruption scandal that has sha-ken Israel's dominant political Labor Party.
"I have no doubt that the truth will come out," he said in a suicide note found by his body. "I did not embezzle or

steal. It is all slander and

libel. But I cannot take it any more.

"All my life I only helped"

in funds earmarked for the purchase of lands near Jerusalem from West Bank Arabs. more.
"All my life I only helped

Rabin, was the first cabinet minister implicated in corruption charges against govern-

ment officials and officials of government companies.

One of the incidents being

"All my life I only heneu as best I could, and never did anyone harm. Why was I so persecuted?" the note continued.

Ofer, a strong supporter of Ofer, a strong supporter of Dahin was the first cabinet of the corruption scandal

Poland in 1933. He lived on a Kibbutz collective settlement before entering public ser-

chael Tzur, former controller chael Tzur, former controller
of foreign exchange, serving a

15-year prison sentence for began to spread three months of foreign exchange, serving a fraud, bribery and illegal currency deals; Asher Yadlin, a Labor party leader nominated to be governor of the Bank of Israel last fall, indicted on fraud and bribery charges; customs director David Peled, charged last Friday with taking bribes from a fi-

Others brought down by the cide, and Zvi Rechter, chair man of a government building company who resigned last scandals include financier Mi-

close friend and associate of

Ofer, were put in the form of an official complaint by Yigal Laviv, a freelance journalist who was the first to bring charges against Yadlin.

# SCOTCH WAREHOUSE GLASGOW (Reuter) — Three explosions ripped through a scotch whisky warehouse today, and police said some people in nearby tenaments were injured. Rescue workers said they believed the customs warehouse of the New York

**EXPLOSIONS DESTROY** 

house was manned by a skeleton staff because of the New The whole place is an inferno and we are just hoping that there was no one in there," an ambulance spokesman

The blasts followed one another in quick succession and

flames were seen several miles away. There was no indica-

tion of the cause.

# King Diary: Divine Protection

OTTAWA (CP) - The late William Lyon Mackenzie King believed that the providential hand of some unseen power helped protect Canada - and his Liberal party government - from infiltration by Com-

munism 30 years ago. It was the same power, the former prime minister told his personal diary in 1946, that saved the young son of a secretary from a health infec-

King's capacity to concen-trate on great matters of trate on great matters of state and small personal epi-sodes — often in a quasi-religious context — are rein-forced in the record of his life in the aftermath of the Second World War when he was 72.

The King diaries for 1946—five volumes of 1,173 closely-typed loose-leaf pages in black binders—were released for publication today by the Public Archives of

Canada, where they have been available only to select-ed scholars since King's death

ed scholars, since king's neath at 75 in 1950.

The year 1946 found King concerned about major matters such as the defection from the Soviet Embassy of cipher clerk Igor Gouzenko, whose revelations of Russian espionage activities helped trigger the protracted era of East-West hostility known as the Cold War.

During a May-June visit to Britain, where he attended a Commonwealth Conference, King took several days out to engage anew in spiritualist seances, a practice he appeared to have put aside during the 1939-45 war.

The 1946 diaries cover such events as the discovery of a at 75 in 1950.

events as the discovery of a Russian spy ring operating in Canada, the Paris peace conference, the negotiation of a \$1.25-billion post-war loan to Britain, a federal-provincial conference on welfare and postwar reconstruction. ism and his conviction that unseen hands of some extraterrestial power were guiding him were not known publicely until after his death. But the

subject runs through the diaries almost page-by-page. The former prime minister, who was to retire and turn over the government to Louis St. Laurent in 1948, started the year 1946 at his residence. the year 1946 at his residence Laurier House in Ottawa, with his dog, Pat. "Little Pat and I renewed

our greetings at the beginning of the new year as he went to his little basket and I to bed in the first hour of the new year. I slept soundly throughout the night . . ."

King's government appointed a royal commission Feb. 15, 1946, headed by justices Robert Taschereau and R. L. Kellock of the Supreme Court of Canada to investigate the Gouzenko disclosures in pri-

testimony transcripts and musing on the perfidity of other nations and Canada's good fortune.

good fortune.
Gouzenko quit the Russian Embassy here Sept. 5, 1945, and obtained aslyum only after a series of harrowing experiences. He brought the government evidence of a large Russian spy network operating in Canada.
"Reading this evidence," King wrote on Feb. 22, 1946, "one feels at every turn that some providential hand was making possible, this material coming into the government's possession."

possession."

The evening before, King learned that the young son of one of his secretaries had had an operation.

"I could not help thinking as I received word of this of the parallel to the body politic—getting rid of a low-grade infection, which we were of this Communist germ,"

### STARDUST BASHED FOR \$2,000

Thieves using a sledgeham-mer bashed open a safe in the Stardust Cabaret, 1037 View, early New Year's Day and took about \$2,000.

Victoria police said the cab-aret's manager left the premises at 4 a.m. and returned about five hours later to discover the break-in.

Police said entry had been gained by a door which had been forced open.
Police do not believe there is any connection between the Stardust robbery and one later Saturday at the Johnson Arcade, 727 Johnson, where 10

B.C. Mill

logical answer to the problem is to bring the Queen of Prince Rupert an extra 25 miles up the inlet from the village of Bella Bella, where

it now calls regularly. They have proposed this to both

federal and provincial auth-

orities but have received no

"We have been told improvements to the mill are being planned, including new, equipment and better working conditions," Inskip said. "It seems everybody wants the town to survive except the

town to survive except the transportation people."

He said the Queen of Prince

Rueprt now spends 48 hours tied up at Kelsey Bay on Van-

couver Island and 24 hours at

stead to call into Ocean Falls. The call would require only

another three hours for the sailings between Kelsey Bay and Prince Rupert.

B.C. Ferries earlier pointed out that when the summer schedule between Prince Rupert and Kelsey Bay re-commences, it will be impos-

sible to maintain alternate

two ports takes 24 hours, including loading and unload-

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general manager of the Saskatchewan division of the Western Canada Lottery Foundation, said the authen-Workers ticity of the tickets will have to be determined before win-Quitting

nings are paid out.

Mrs. Anthony, a mother of two daughters aged 13 and 17, said she had been watching the draw on television with her husband Raymond, a mechanical supérvisor at CP

million tickets drawn. The

Bob Ritchie of Saskatoon,

tickets sold at \$5 each.

4698720 was drawn. "
Miss Wills was attending a
New Year's Eve dance in her

Two in Regina

Millionaires?

have each won \$1 million in the second Provincial Lottery draw last Friday night, in Colleen Anthony, '41, and Barbara Wills, 20, believe they hold two of the six \$1 her ticket was drawn.

Two Toronto women share one of the \$1 million prizes drawn Friday in Vancouver. Mrs. L. Stein said in an in-terview she and Dorothy Fish, 46, purchased ticket 3326048 while on a grocery shopping

'It was the only ticket I bought," she said.

### **DENTURE PAIN?**

Anbesol relieves denture soothes and helps

# **Pacific** Rescue Record

Pacific Rescue Co-ordination Centre at CFB Esquimalt handled almost half of all the search and rescue incidents in

Canada during 1976.
Rescue centres are based at Edmonton, Trenton and Halifax.

There were 3,473 incidents in the Victoria area which covers almost one million square miles of land and water, stretching along the American-B.C. border to the Alberta border routh to the Alberta border, north to the Mackenzie River and the Arctic shores. The 1976 incidents represent a 22 per cent in-crease over 1975.

Marine missions demanded the most time and energy. There were 2.335 compared to

There were 574 air missions ompared to 555 in 1975.

A total of 499 humanitarian missions, mostly air evacua-tions of people needing medi-

out, an increase of 166 over RCMP calls for assistance on civilian matters were also up -, 66 compared to 44 the

cal assistance, were carried

year before.

The busiest month was July, during which there were 603 incidents, 428 of which were marine, the rest being rescue flights and assistance calls.
This toppled the 1975 record

There were 17 major air searches during the year.

On New Year's Eve the centre arranged a mercy pressure continues to the domineering ridge of high pressure continues to the domineering ridge of high pressure continues to the domineering ridge of high pressure continues to the domineering ridge. centre arranged a mercy flight and help for a pleasure the north arm of the Fraser

MPs demanding more and better equipment.

He points out that compared

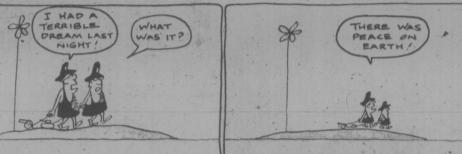
to Victoria's 2,335 marine incidents in 1975 only 831 were handled on the east coast and only 624 there the previous

## Jetfoil Unlikely

the trials in co-operation with Boeing of Seattle and the pro-vincial government's . B.C. Steamship Company.

### THE OUTCASTS

by Ben Wicks



### AIB Needs Joint Plan

VANCOUVER (CP) Labor Minister Allan Williams said Monday a joint federal-provincial program is needed to control prices to help the federal Anti-Inflation Board regain lost credibility.

He said in an interview he doesn't agree with Dave Chapman, British Columbia representative on the board, who has said prices are being controlled by the board through profit controls.

Williams said controls on profits can bring the wrong

He said there has to be some realistic action to control prices at both the federal and provincial level, and said the only price increases that should be permitted are cost increases that have to be

the weather

# Computer Firm Loss Denied by Ottawa

dated Computer Inc., Toronto, s far from financial collapse and may show a small profit this year after reaching the break-even point in 1976, a spokesman for the federal de-partment of industry, trade and commerce said.

The spokesman, who was nett, Ontario ministry of inthe province stands to lose about \$14 million in equity and loans to the company. Reports said that Ottawa stands to lose \$51 million.

Consolidated reported a

An agreement, signed Jast month with Fujitsu Ltd. of Japan, the largest computer manufacturer outside North America, a provides Consoli-dated with a strong international partner, the spokesman

said it plans to invest \$2 milproduct and marketing assis-

ingeles

six months of 1976, he said.

Under the agreement, Fujit-su acquired a 20-per-cent in-terest in Consolidated and

Ontario has agreed to convert \$4.7 million in loans and guarantees to Consolidated

The transactions made the interest of 60 per cent. The spokesman denied Ben-

The federal government has converted \$16.3 million in debt as part of the same agree-ment.

nett's statement that the new financing is intended to keep. the company solvent while a buyer is found. He said that after the firm

ment then may wish to reduce its holdings."

The spokesman said Consol-

idated has benefited from strong, experienced manage-ment, led by President L. K. Selfmeyer, acquired last Jan-uary from Central Dynamics Ltd. of Montreal. Central Dynamics had agreed to buy a major interest in Consolidated but the deal was abandoned.

Sellmeyer/said in an interview that Bennett's remarks

government financing and the agreement had not been com-

plesed.

He said sales are expected to decline to about \$20 million in 1977, while the company builds for the future. However, continuing improvements in the quality of the company's financial operations should produce a profit of between \$400,000 and \$500,000

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# strengthen. Light snow over River. Volunteer rescue agent Dr. Robert Sommerville of Campbell River relentless, fighter for more adequate search and rescue facilities, is conducting a campaign to get all B.C. residents to write to their MPs demanding more and 10 A.M. FORECASTS Valid Until Midnight Greater Victoria: "Cloud with sunny periods. Wednesday mainly sunny. Highs bot days 3 to 5. Lows tonight near Lower Mainland: Today and Wednesday mainly sunny Highs both days 3 to 5. Low tonight minus 3 to minus 6. East Vancouver Island: Mainly cloudy today with chance of a snowflurry. Highs today 2 to 4. Lows tonight minus 3 to minus 5. Wednes day mainly sunny. Highs around 5. toria and Seattle will buy one and institute a permanent service. President James Byrn said today the high capital costs "make it highly unlikely." His company carried out the trials in co-operation with

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# Sane, or Insane, He's Free

A man who confessed to kill- which police found. ing his wife is free today be- After confessing to the cause French medical experts could not agree on whether he

is sane.

Emile Haik, 71, admitted in 1974 to pushing his wife to her death down a flight of stairs and then cutting up her body. He dropped her head in the sea off this French Mediterrean port and put the rest of the sane.

Sent to jail. A few days later, sent to jail. A few days later, who was a few days later, "My wife visits me every day, asking for her head back."

An examining magistrate called in two medical experts who pronounced Haik sane.

Defence lawyers called in two

An examining magistrate and committed the accused to a mental home.

But the chief doctor at the Pierrefeu asylum was one of

was insane.

The magistrate called in crime, Haik was charged and two Paris doctors who sided sent to jail. A few days later, with the defence. With a 4-to-2 opinion by doctors that Halk was insane, the magistrate ruled Halk was unfit to plead to the charges against him and committed the accused to

his institution, the doctor obtained permission from authorities to release him.

sane. It is also against the law to keep a sane man in a mental hospital.

### NO CONSENT TO CONSORT

LONDON (UPI) — Buck-ingham Palace today de-scribed as "completely with-out foundation" a London newspaper report that Queen Elizabeth would mark her silver jubilee year on the

silver jubilee year on the throne by conferring the title of Prince Consort on her husband, Prince Philip.

There has been only one Prince Consort in British history — Prince Albert, husband of Queen Victoria. The title carries with it the right to see all secret government. to see all secret government

## N-War Over Rhodesia?

Times News Services
LUSAKA — Zambian
Toreign Minister Siteke
Mwale warns that, attacks by
Rhodesian troops on neighboring states may lead to a nu-clear confrontation between

east and West.

Mwale told the United nations Association of Zambia on Monday night that Rhodesian attacks on Mozambique, Botswana and other black neighbors where black Rhodesighbors where black Rhodesigh the second ware season was a second ware season was a season neignors where black render-sian guerrillas are based were organized by prime Minister Ian Smith in the hope of get-ting military support from his

"This is a dangerous game which the international community must unreservedly condemn because it will, inevitably, result in a nuclear confrontation between East and West," he said. "Ian Smith, with the con-

nivance of apartheid South Africa and in collaboration with certain Western countries with vested economic interests in southern Africa, is determined to maintain the status quo even to the extent of engulfing this entire area

in a nuclear war."

He said Zambia did not want to see southern Africa turned into another Vietnam or another battlefied for the

superpowers.
Meanwhile, British negotiator Ivor Richard flew to Botswana today on the fourth leg of a Southern African shuttle to seek support for a direct British presence in Rhodesia during the transition to black

Richard-met with South African Prime Minister John Vorster Monday and afterward appeared in a buoyant and optimistic mood. He re-fused to discuss the substance of the talks at Vorster's sea-side retreat box said they had been "useful, helpful and con-structive".

Richard, who believes the proposal for a British pre-sence in Rhodesia could break the current impasse at the Geneva conference, met Bots-Khama in the capital of Ga-

we will get a settlement to this problem." Richard said at a news conference in Pre-toria.

### capital scene

Esquimalt Recreation Centre registration for winter recreational courses Jan. 4-6, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. and 7:30-9:30 p.m. at the centre, 527 Fraser

Island Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters installation of officers Wednesday, Jan. 5, 8

Royal Roads Chapter IODE Wednesday, Jan. 5, 1:30 p.m.,

Victoria Labor Council Wednesday, Jan. 5, 8 p.m., 2750 Quadra St.

lay-offs Friday when they

202-2623 Richmond Rd.

# Jamaica Mobilizes Against Recession

KINGSTON, Jamaica (UPI)

— Prime Minister Michael
Manley began his second fiveyear term at the head of the
Jamaican government today
witha "new-look" cabinet that
was expanded from 19 to 20
members to make room for
the new post of "minister of
national mobilization."

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national mobilization.

Manley, 52, won re-election by a landslide in the Dec. 15 parliamentary elections on a platform of increased socialism, massive antipoverty programs and a foreign policy friendly to Communist Cuba. His party won 47 parliamentary seats to 13 for the opposition.

The new ministry of national mobilization, which went to the secretary of the ruling People's National Party, Dr. D. K. Duncan, was given the task of mobilizing Idmaics' citizeny to rull the Jamaica's citizenry to pull the Caribbean island country out of an economic slump and in-



MANLEY

ference Monday night follow-ing the swearing-in ceremony

ation of the new ministry was due to "the bad economic sit-

uation." Manley also said the ministers and their parliamentary secretaries or deputy min-isters had agreed to a volun-tary-pay cut to set the exam-ple for the tone of austerity in the new administration.

the new administration.

Most of the cabinet ministers were holdovers from the previous Manley cabinet, although some were shifted to different portfolios. In one switch, P. J. Patterson took over the foreign affairs, and tourism department, replacing Dudley Thompson, who became minister of mining.

DavidCoore remains finance minister and deputy prime minister while Keble Munn stayed at the head of the security ministry, which

than 200 persons last year.

ed the PLA Railway Corps to send some of its cadres to Chengchow Railway Bureau to help in work for some

Hua's willingness to use

# CHINA SEIZES RAILS

HONG KONG (WP) — Peking has ordered a military takeover of one of the most important and troubled portions of the Chinese railroad system, an official provincial radio broadcast has reported.

The appointment of an army railway corps com-mander to head the Cheng-chow Railway Bureau, and the dispatch of other army officers to the bureau's key rail depot in central China confirms earlier reports of serious trouble on China's railroads, vital to a nation that has more miles of train track than neved reads.

track than paved roads.

It marks the second time since October's anti-radical purges in Peking that the army has been ordered to assume major civilian adminis-trative duties. The action in-dicates new Communist party chairman Hua Kuo-feng feels that months of intraparty bickering in some places had

order without army help. The announcement by the Honan provincial radio, monitored here Sunday, said, "With a view to strengthening the leadership of Chengchow

Railway Bureau and promoting revolution and production as quickly as possible, the party centre headed by chairman Hua has decided to transfer Kuo Wei-cheng, deputy compander of the People compander uty commander of the People's Liberation Army Railway Corps, and appoint him first secretary of the Communist party committee of the Chengchow Railway Bureau."

It said that Wang Wei-chun, a civilian party administrator in Honan, and Wang Hui, director of the local regional army engineering corps, had been appointed second and third bureau party secretaries

"At the same time," the announcement said, "in accordance with the requirement, (the party centre) has direct-

army officers in Chengchow, where key north-south and east-west rail trunk lines meet, recalls the last days of the Cultural Revolution a decade ago, when soldiers were sent to take overhundreds of faction-torn organizations.

Hua has announced plans for a major overhaul this year of party and government personnel, and he appears to be following the example of the late Premier Chou En'lai in using army officers at least temporarily to fill gaps created by the purge of followers of radicals like Mao Tsetung's widow, Chiang Ching.

The method holds pitfalls

The method holds pitfalls The method holds pitfalls for Hua, a civilian party administrator who with army backing purged Chiang and her allies in October. After the Cultural Rev ution Mao and Chou had to lend off an alleged coup attempt by their leading general, Lin Piao, and reshuffle hundreds of military officers before they could begin to restore a measure of civilian party control over the civilian party control over the

# Minister Resigns After Son Charged

LISBON (UPI) — Industry
Minister Walter Rosa has resigned from the Portuguese signed from the Portuguese cabinet because his 27-yearcabinet because his 27-year-old son was arrested as a su-spected bank robber, officials attributed to far left militants

The announcement

seeking funds for their organizations, but the newspaper O Dia said it was unknown whether there was any political motive to the rabbasis of t

Rosa's resignation late Mon-day said his decision was the by a single man in Sesimbra, result of a "grave family" 30 miles south of Lisbon, and tragedy" but gave no details.

He was the second minister about \$13,000.

### BARGE TIPS, DUMPS LOAD

A 236-foot barge capsized in the Strait of Georgia on Sun-day sending its cargo of 3,482 tons of scrap metal to the bot-

being towed from Vancouver to Tacoma, Wash. by the 80-foot tug Seaspan Master when its cargo shifted causing

The capsize occurred near Point Roberts. There were no injuries and the barge was towed back to Vancouver.

### Magazine Planned

NEW YORK (AP) - Ralph Ginzburg, publisher of con-sumer-oriented Moneysworth magazine said Sunday he is launching a new "hell-rais-ing" national monthly tabloid left Fort Lauderdale, Fla., in a 25-foot sloop.

The missing men were identified as Herbert Rippe, 46, of Walton, Ky., a national marketing representative of Federated Department Stores; Steve Potts, 30, Cincinnati, an executive with Federated, and state of Miami.

They were scheduled to return to Florida Dec. 30 and to be called Extra. Ginzburg, to be called Extra. Ginzburg, thou spent eight months in federal prison in 1972 on obscenity charges when he was publisher of Eros magazine, said his new publication emphasizes arts and letters and "tells it like it is."

# Missing Sloop Sought

hunted the north-central Bahama Islands today for three prominent businessmen, last heard from Dec. 20 when they

MIAMI (UPI) — Two U.S. Darryl Neilson, 35, Cincinnati, coast guard search planes an executive of IBM.

left Fort Lauderdale, Fla., in a 25-foot sloop.

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Radio Station Fires Everyone

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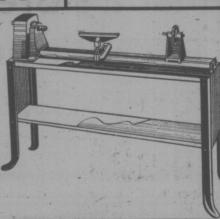
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Chesney, the president of a outlining the station's Langley radio station who fired all his employees on New Year's Eve, said he took the step in an effort to favor.

"We decided to try and tough it out," said Chesney

# Victoria Times

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1977

STUART UNDERHILL

# The AIB's Equivocal Record

carefully, seems to sum up the position of the Anti-Inflation Board. AIB. chairman Jean-Luc Pepin throws a supremely confident image to the press these days, but behind closed doors at the federal provincial finance ministers conference he is reported to have plumbed provincial feelings about scrapping the program. And it is no secret that the government is coming under increasing pressure from both business and labor to-scrap controls. If a spring election was held, and that appears to be an increasing possibility, the AIB would almost certainly be terminated.

Despite doubtful beginnings the AIB can take part of the credit for crease more than \$2,400 per year slowing Canada's inflation rate. During the last 14 months wage increases have dropped from an average of 18.7 per cent to 9.7 per cent. The industrial selling price index declined from 8.4 per cent to 3.6 per cent. On a yearly basis inflation has dropped to 5.6 per cent, from more than 11 per cent 16 months ago. While these figures indicate wage increases were a major inflationary factor, it should also be said that had it not been for a fortuitous drop in food prices the inflation rate would be 8.1 per cent. Mounting wage and price indices in the U.Sw combined with a new free spending government could have economic rationale convicts business strong inflationary effects on the

Canadian economy six months hence. It is also galling to Canadian wage earners that salaries are being held to

accompanied by irritating rollbacks, when prices continue to increase. In British Columbia, for example, Hydro warns of impending natural gas increases from 17 to 22 per cent this year. Electricity will cost between 11 and 15 per cent more. And B.C. Telephone is after another 15 per cent increase. The AIB cannot maintain the fiction that it is a two-edged sword controlling both prices and wages in the face of these potential increases. Admittedly, controlling prices or profits is a far more complicated task than limiting wages. But when an absolute limit is applied to one form of income - wages or salaries cannot in-

evenhandedness is seen to be absurd As for the AIB's latest gimmick, publishing lists of companies which have recorded excess profits, it is simply a public relations exercise. Only one recorded price rollback has resulted from AIB controls. Still, it is probably true that existence of price or profit controls per se has has had a moral effect on business. And despite mounting criticism of Canadian business practices, most businessmen are not out to beat the system or rook the customer. Yet the AIB's strange

while no absolute limit is placed on

prices, the program's vaunted

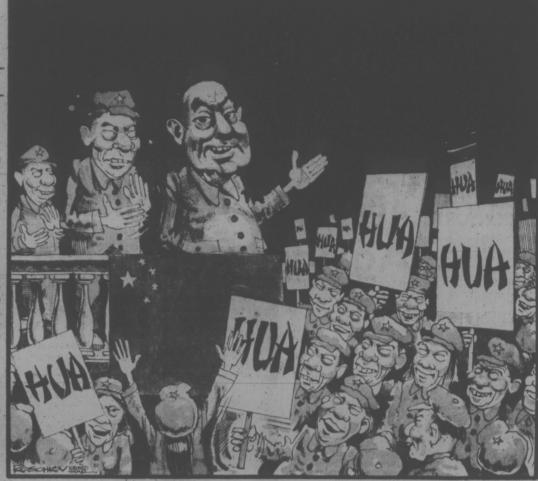
In this regard it is worth quoting an extract from an AIB proposal. Proposal to modify Section 16 of

as a whole, before it is even tried.

and allocate the need to amend sections 17 and 18.

There appears to be no sound economic rationale for any restraints to be placed on the profits of corporations (or individuals who are self employed), or on dividends since neither of these cause price increases. There are of course two practical reasons for imposing restrictions on profits and dividends, however, he first is political. If wage and salary increases are to be restricted then so must profits and dividends to give the appearance of equity.

While the rationale of this proposal would astound many economists, it is indicative of at least some of the minds behind the AIB. But even considering rank inequalities in the application of this program, it has resulted in a lower inflation rate. To scrap it now, as new inflationary portents emerge, would be a mistake. Ottawa will not be able to maintain the program in its present state, however. unless it can damp the kind of price increases envisioned by B.C. Hydro and B.C. Telephone. Lifting wage controls now would result in economic chaos. More than 300,000 B.C. workers will negotiate new contracts this year alone. But unless the government can demonstrate a new fairness, the AIB will become another political casualty, long before the end of 1978. along with the minds that conceived



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# letters

### Money Juggling

The Socreds are still batting about a figure around \$400 million as being some debt the previous NDP government is supposed to have left them with. Everyone with a grain of sense must know by now this is real millionaires club hogwash!

A few figures from the Times of Dec 19, 1975 might just touch on the enormity

of these statements "Even the infamous Panco Poultry Ltd. is expected to turn a profit of \$70,000 in its first full year under government ownership compared with a loss of \$400,000 last year. Plateau Mills, Kootenay Forest, Cancel, Ocean Falls, all firms bought to conserve jobs, are expected to make money in the current fiscal year,

"Bennett Senior left B.C. with \$98 Canada geese. This is essential, as so million in the kitty. Barrett has left his son and successor \$143 million surplus cash. The numerous perpetual and special funds

another peculiarly British Columbian way of squirrelling away the embarrassing excess of many — has been expanded to \$526.6 million from Bennett's legacy of

"As the figures show (and they are the audited, correct financial statements from the impartial comptroller-general of the finance department), Barrett is correct in saying 'My only regret after three years is private ownership of foreshore land. that we can justly be accused of being con-

And from the Victorian of the same

"British Columbia is in good financial shape, cash reserves are up more then will believe that a nation is nothing more than a business concern animated, terests would further exacerbate the ments jointly. Credit government

vincial debt by way of parity bonds is down more than \$110 million since

"Assets of crown corporations in ex- tion of wild animals stence in 1972 have increased from \$3.8 billion to \$5.7 billion.

indreds more culled from papers and were threatened with extinction due to reports over the past year.

unrecognizable, but they cannot fool most of the people any of the time!—P. Simpson, 2536 Forbes Street.

### V. Z. Test

The morning of April 1, 1977, should be reserved in the B.C. legislature for the passing of the act requiring that those con-templating entering into holy matrimony Zalm test, for one would indeed have to be a prize fool to believe that such a program would meet with any more success the one to give shovels to welfare

Presumably the intent of the V.Z. test is to reduce the number of children brought into the world only to be supported the plan is doomed even before getting off is forced to admit that while the test may prevent certain marriages from taking place, it can do nothing to prevent those who fail the test from "living together. However, Mr. Vander Zalm has stated he would prefer to see this situation, rather than one in which a couple get married,

have children and later "split up."

Although he may not be aware of it there are many couples who have discovered much to their chagrin that it is not the wearing of a wedding ring that causes pregnancy in females, and this natural phenomenon is likely to continue whether the participants have passed his test with flying colors or, like roadworthy vehicles emerging from the McKenzie Avenue complex, have been issued with a yellow

How the province stands to save any keeping buried on his farm along with his fulip bulbs, for it would seem that colmore difficult than collecting such payWhat would appear to be more sensible than demanding tests for couples about to be married would be legislation requiring that those appointed as cabinet ministers be compelled to take courses and pass tests, thus ensuring that those who came to such positions fresh off the farm have at least been made aware of the behavioral patterns of the human being. — C. Blair, 939 Reeve Place.

### No Killing

It is good news that the B.C. governconsidering setting aside more park land in the Tofino-Long Beach area. According to a newspaper report a mud flat area is to be set aside, as it is used by

many of their feeding places have been destroyed by human activity, and their migratory routes disturbed in various

preserve the foreshore, that will be a great

Many of us on these Gulf Islands have tried to have foreshore placed in the public domain, so that people could walk along the banks but private interests and real estate firms have succeeded in maintain

It seems that hunting in these propos reserves will be allowed - a strange inconsistency. One thinks of a reserve as a

sanctuary for animals and all creatures. It is illegal to cut flowers or remove collection purposes, so why is it legal to kill animals for fun?

Hunting and destruction of habitat have been found by research to be major causes of decline and in some cases extinc-

The U.S. Senate commerce committee held extensive hearings for two years and These are only a few figures. I have the 1973 report stated that many species

Certainly the Gunderson-type money-juggling Bennett men have made the facts reserves, or conservation or ecological areas, or parks, or whatever; many of us hope that these lands will be a sanctuary

for all creatures. There are plenty of places for people to do their killing, without going into the publicly owned properties. — Eve Smith,

### The Full Measure

It seems to me that the present system of rent controls often means that rent is automatically raised the full 10 per cent every year when perhaps it might not be or certainly not by that much.

I have not been in my apartment a year, and it is not the greatest apartment either, but my landlord gave me a fine Xmas present - notice of the full 10 per cent rent increase in three months' time Thanks fella!

I don't even have a parking space for my car, there are no laundry facilities, no controlled entrance, no balcony and he wants to raise my rent nearly \$15 a

Not only that the notice was worded in, a strange way, on inquiring at the rent review board I was told this wording means that should the government raise the allowable percentage this means my rent would be increased that much more

So after less than a year I have the trouble and expense of moving again. We also have no caretaker, the place is not even kept clean and I informed the agent in than I am paying and he started in about taxes." Well, perhaps he can get someone else to help pay the taxes; I am not going

money from the implementation of such a  $\,$  I think he is out of his mind raising the scheme appears to be a secret Mr. V.Z. is  $\,$  rent like this when there is such a vacancy rate in Victoria, perhaps he thinks I will sit still for this because I have a small pet, lecting child support payments from unmarried "split up" fathers would be even have more protection against this constant moving because of greedy landlords who do nothing except raise the rent!

### Soviet Salaries

I thought the article Soviets Get 18 per cent Pay Hike by 1980 was most misleading as the salaries of certain categories were given and, of course, compared very unfavorably with salaries paid here. However, in the U.K. and in Russia there are so many fringe benefits such as state-owned housing at very low rents as compared to Canada, free medical, dental and hospital treatment, and many other benefits and in view of this it is most mis leading to compare wages and salaries as paid in the U.K., Russia and many other

Western European countries.

Although state housing may not con pare, in any way, with privately-owned houses in Canada the rents charged are nominal and so the average worker does not have to battle with inflation in land and housing mortgage rates which has resulted in so many of our young people in the working community being unable to purchase their own homes.

I feel that this should be clarified when such comparisons are made.—M. P. Wrixon, 301—1701 Cedar Hill X Road.

### **Housing Predictions**

For shame, How could you as respon sible journalists give front page headline coverage (Real Estate Boom Seen In Vic-toria, Dec. 24) to the president of the Victoria Real Estate Board. His predictions for the 1977 season are only crystal ball him and his members and do not reflect

might cost \$20 per month less with a half-point drop in the mortgage rate but with widespread local unemployment, stagnant industry and houses already priced 30 per cent to 200 per cent more than their true value any such statement can only lead to further distruptions in an already precarious labor scene.

Come on Mr. Editor why not have Mr Forrest report some facts like the cost of land and housing in Washington, Oregon or even California. Seattle is only a stone's throw away. Send him over there for a day. We might then have some realistic guidelines and data on which to base local predictions instead of rumor based clap trap designed to con the buyer into more than he or the economy can afford.

By his own admission, of 5,500 listings

last year only 1,800-odd sold. When I studied economics this was considered pretty poor, and, if anything, would point to widespread drops in the price of houses or the year ahead, not increases

Why not take up this housing objectively and realistically Mr, Editor, and give as some facts? I fear the consequences of Robert Ward, Sidney

### Equal Warning

I hope that with Bill Bennett's "warn" (Years Ahead Won't Be Easy, Times, Dec. 11) to organized labor to "hold the line," there will be a similar plea to all other groups to follow suit, i.e. B.C. Telephone Co., B.C. Hydro for electricity, gas and bus fares, the food chains, the clothing stores, B.C. Ferries, the ICBC, the insurance companies, the dentists, the drug stores, the medical plans, the oil companies, the apartment owners, and anyone and everyone who has any bearing, direct or indirect, on what it costs us to live. Peace on earth, and goodwill toward all men (and women)!

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# A Good Governor

world will be focussed on Washington. fice in Olympia. D.C. when president-elect Jimmy Carter will be sworn into office. In these parts we should also pause to reflect on a similar ceremony in the state of Washington to the south

That will be Dan Evans' last day as governor of the state, and the first in office of his successor. Ms. Dixie Lee quiet, down-to-earth, humane man theatrics which are overused by

On Jan: 20 the attention of the won't be occupying the governor's of-political practitioners on our side of

In the same period, British Columbia has seen the demise of one aged administration, the brief blaze and briefer decline of a band of a socialist reformers and the rise of a group of

the 49th parallel.

He was a staunch environmentalist and under his administration. Washington established the toughest oil anti-pollution laws anywhere, and Evans was the first governor of Washington in five decades to take an active official interest in relations with our province. B.C. is going to

Evans was an uncommon politi-Ray. It is a minor shock to realize that cian. Make that an uncommon man.

conservative technocrats.

for the first time in eight years that He never resorted to the spurious miss him almost as much as

**BRUCE HUTCHISON** 

# Canada's Bread and Butter

than a business concern animated, governed and held together by the infalliome alternative economic arrangement V nation must be something more than that if it is to appear in the first place and last long afterwards. It must be primarily an idea, an intangible, an instinct which is never clearly defined. These things have no adequate words in the dictionary, though a poet, a painter or a musician. sometimes articulate them in a

secret language essential substance of the Canadian nation, Its breakup would make no sense in strictly economic terms and if men do not live by bread alone they need bread to live

A glance at the map, to begin with, should demonstrate the fallacy of the separatist proposition advocated in Quebec and by a few self-styled practical economists elsewhere. The separatists would cut the national economy single, inter-dependent organism dam on the St. Lawrence River as an idiotic surgeon might block a patient's aorta and expect him to recover his

### Single Organism

Of course Premier Rene Levesque denies any such intention and undoubtedly he is sincere. He proposes to keep the central river open to all traffic moving through the sovereign Quebec state and to establish a free trade common market with the two remnants of Canada, east and west. Then, between the three regions. there would be no friction, only goodwill. co-operation and prosperity, each of them re-invigorated by their freedom. What a

Assuming that a common market could be established — which is unlikely in the angry aftermath of separation — who would fix the common tariff against goods imported from the world at large? Suppose that the Quebec state wanted a generally high tarriff as it would, to protect its many non-competitive industries; and suppose that the maritimes and the west wanted a lower tariff, as they grants? always have. In the resulting clash the old strain and probably destroy the common

across its land and the two other regions

States and its distant state of Alaska but number but loud in voice. As purely this is a false parallel. Northern American territory. It moves by the open sea or by air under no nation's control.

Another thing which separatists of all varieties seem to forget is that if Quebec goes it takes with it about a quarter of Canada's gross national product. But does

RENE LEVESQUE

share of the national debt or will the other remnants inherit that obligation to the lenders, including those who live in Quebec? And how much money would Quebec lose annually when the three rich\_

These are intricate calculations on piled because, up to now, they have been unnecessary. However they are reckoned, Again, the Quebec state would fix the Prime Minister Trudeau (who has made transportation rates on goods moving just about every conceivable economic mistake) is correct in regarding the com-

would fix different rates to suit mon market as a fantasy at best, at worst

In support of his imaginary common not confined to a Quebec government of market Levesque has argued that there is honest and able men. The rest of the nano strain between the continental United tion does not lack its separatists, few in mic, bread-and-butter men who merce does not have to cross foreign wealth above everything as the Quebec story. It moves by the open sea or by separatism is a losing game, even for them, apart from the intangible and more serious losses. They also fail to see, or else they actually desire in their subconscious minds, that, one by one, the remnants would fall, like beads on a broken thread,

or iron filings pulled by a mighty magner into the United States. Unfortunately it can be said with cer tain knowledge that the premiers of all provinces, except Levesque, thoroughly understand these facts. There is not a separatist, overt or eovert, among them, nor any man so mean and stupid to rejoice in the troubles of the Quebec people who are just as Canadian, just as worthy of fair treatment, as the people in every

### Homemade Achievement

The nine English-speaking premiers share a willingness to revise the constitu-tion — an endless, normal procedure in any tederal system - to satisfy Quebec and all the provinces.

Trudeau rightly says that no con-stitutional change, nothing less than separation, will ever satisfy Levesque but it is by no means clear that the new represents the second thoughts and majority opinion of his people

This quesiton has yet to be answered in a referendum or otherwise, and along with

it the future of Trudeau, his government

and party: Their victory or defeat is quite

incidental to the ultimate and only ques-tion of real importance — the future of the Despite the prevailing shock and confu which the next national election should be settled: what man, government and party are best equipped to hold the nation together as both an economic organism

and something far more important?
Beside that question all the others have which no precise figures have been com- become secondary. For if Canada is not a great power among the nations it is our very great by proper measurement, and outside it.

triangular rejection sticker. ments from "split up" married ones

# 'Jamaica Not For Sale'

By E. KAYE FULTON Toronto Star

KINGSTON, Jamaica victory still ringing through this island of plastic paradises and festering slums, Jamaica sets out on a mission that could change the face of the Carib-

government's aim is to make Jamaica a model for self-determination in a Third World hobbled by massive poverty and dependence on foreign investment.

The mandate for the attempt was handed last month to Prime Minister Michael Manley, whose People's National Party took 48 of 60

In the next five years Manley will try to mold into a political reality the experiment in democratic socialism that he

"We're not saying it's going to be easy," Manley said in an

"We're not assuring it will be successful, but by God, I think

"The time for Jamaica is here. We are not for sale any

days when the rich and the big and the foreign milked the island's resources dry and then in luxury hotels while Jamaican children starved,

'The days of the millionaire ticket to the plastic paradise are over," he said.

The question in the minds of the western world and the elite private sector is whether Michael "Joshua" Manley and the left wing of his party willescalate Jamaica's relations with Cuba to the point of embracing communism.
Manley says he won't.

The poor people of the island are wondering if "Joshua" will live up to his election promise of giving them jobs, homes and hope. Manley says he will.

More than half the island's 2 million people are impoverished. Almost oneparter of those able to work are unemployed and many cannot even read or write. Crime in the ghettoes of Kingston per-

The three main resource intourism - are only beginning balance of trade is such that Jamaica imports twice as much as it exports. Foreign exeted to an \$80-million deficit.

In its last term of office, the started trying to cure some of these ills. It launched an intensive literacy program, tripling the education budget and introducing free pre-university schooling; offered loans to small businesses; began landlease and sugar co-operative income housing available to those who live in slum shacks made of corrugated tin and

In an attempt to breach the gigantic gap between the haves and the have-nots, Manley set a guaranteed annual income of \$20 a week and froze salaries over \$16,000. He also implemented a price freeze on rent and slapped restrictions on imports to encourage small

manufacturers.

To pay for these reforms, Jamaica was forced to borrow heavily from the United States. China, and more recently

When you are a poor country, the great majority of whose people are still struggling, it is almost an affront to have one sector pursuing most standards while most have not yet bought a tap they can turn on in their homes and children still carry water in kerosene tins," Manley said,

tory behind him, Manley plans to continue these reforms while

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island's other resources. One of the first priorities is to revitalize the slumping tourist industry on the north coast. Two government-owned hotels in the Montego Bay area have closed for the winter as Americans, who comprise 75

per cent of tourists, look for other vacation spots. Manley blames the slump on that plagued the southeastern section near Kingston but had little or no effect further north. A popular misconception is that a shot fired in Kingston can be heard from one end of the island to the other.
"The tourist industry is going

through a tough time right now but Jamaica isn't a Belfast, it isn't in a civil war, it is just having a few problems," Manley said. "What it needs is a major reorganization ... there are a lot of tremendously interesting things in Jamaica that have nothing to do with the plastic paradise.

The major thrust of the reforms, however, is in the area of big business. And it is precisely that thrust that raised the question of Manley's intentions towards alignment with the Communist world.

In 1974, the government imposed a 7½ per cent production levy on the six foreign-owned bauxite companies. It also announced it would seek 51 per cent of mining operations and full ownership of all land. An agreement has been signed with Alcoa, Reynolds and Kaiser, three American-owned

MANLEY

owned Alcan

At the same time the government was sending Jamaicans to Cuba to learn construction and industrial techniques while Cuba sent engineers to build microdams and a \$23-million school outside Kingston.

Talks with Cuban Premier

Fidel Castro became frequent and terms like "liberate the worker" and "comrade" became part of the daily rhetoric in PNP speeches.

Manley also sees a socialist the way for a control of the control of the way for a control of the contro Businessmen and the opposition party saw it as a swing toward communism while

soul-searching between axis of developed and develop-geographic and economic ing nations.

has absolutely no relevance at all because Jamaica is not going Communist," Manley repeated again and again. He said Jamaica would walk the At home, Manley's first

Many in business did not million with them in the last (Jamai two years. Others are poised are in. and ready to go.

Manley feels the voters of

Jamaica have squelched the in-ternal fears once and for all. However, he is counting on investors in Canada, Mexico and Venezuela to assure others that all is well and still democratic

In any event, Manley feels that Jamaica's relationship are in the offing with the others, including Canadian weight to what he calls "the urgent need for detente" between Castro's regime and the United States.

> Such a detente would be in Such a determination of the Jamaica, 4,000 miles away in Jamaican economy — a con- 1977, having a queen is just not venient marriage between the capital support of the U.S. and the technical advice of the Communist island, 90 miles about it and there's nothing

> Jamaica opening the way for a new approach to global politics he said, can Jamaica embark - a shift from east-west pre- on a truly independent course

"It is a very tired subject. It region not in terms of spheres of influence but in terms of its

thin line between two priority is to get the Jamaican people living a more disciplined, restrained lifestyle. Many in business and not ciphiled, restrained believe him and left the Luxury items are out; hard country, taking as much as \$250 work and "heavy manners" (Jamaican argot for discipline)

> To do it, Manley says, Jamaican people must develop a sense of pride and dignity — something they can never have while under the financial con-trol of the western world and the psychological thumb of Britain, the island's colonial mistress until independence in

to shed the parliamentary system and turn the country into a republic, fashioned perhaps on the American

a relevant form of con-stitutionalism," Manley said. "There's nothing personal against the queen. It's just that



Children of remote hill country watch television for first time in 1973

# In Defence of Mandarins: Bulwark of Gov't

By MITCHELL SHARP

for 13 until his retirement in September. This article is taken from a recent speech to the Institute of Public Administration of Canada in Toronto.)

Top public servants are Canada. I replied that my powerful persons in the principal qualification was that machinery of government at the federal level. They wield ment. great influence. They do so because they are, in the main, onals who have been selected for proven ad-ministrative ability and who devote their full time to government. In many cases, they have a greater influence upon the course of events than have ministers, particularly the weaker and less competent.

This may seem anti-democratic but in my experience it isn't.

With rare exceptions, oliticans are amateurs in any field of government administration, at least at the beginning of their political career. They cannot be expected to be experts in fiscal and monetary policy, and in nuclear policy and in foreign policy, for example, when they offer themselves as candidates may find themselves having to make decisions in any or all those fields once in office.

the 1968 election campaign, I man what qualifications I had

Politicians, particularly ministers, require the best impartial advice if they are to make wise decisions. Syn-cophants who echo their boss' views are of little value; in-deed they can be positively dangerous as advisers if they are prepared to tell the boss That is one of the reasons why am not in favor of the princ that the top positions should be filled by those who are in sympathy with the views of the party in power, and should depart with their ministers when the government is

After some 30 years observ ing the process of government, I am convinced that there is virtuein continuity in the senior tent people are not going to be in a local constituency, yet they prepared to enter the public service and make a career of it if they are being denied access to the top jobs.

senior civil servants would resist change in the event that to be foreign minister of different views from its

predecessor took office, has pointees, however valuable the mandarins, as is much time in cabinet and to the facts and advice upon never been very convincing to they may be — are no sub-sometimes asserted or im-cabinet committees discussing which those decisions were me. In the first place, knowing my own country and its political parties, I doubt that any change would in fact be very radical. The second is that it is precisely under those cir-cumstances that an experienced civil servant would be most valuable (to) guide a new government in the implementation of its policies and enable it to avoid the administrative pitfalls of which it might otherwise not be aware.

There is need, of course, for ministers to have in their offices men and women to help them perform as members of Parliament and political leaders. Such temporary ap-

Do senior servants exert too much influence upon the government? Are ministers



SHARP ... 'can't plead own case'

stitute for permanent non-partisan senior civil servants. From time to time, too, individual ministers and the governments may wish to be cabinet as a whole depended

able to call on the services of more upon the advice of qualified Canadians from the business or professional world do today, and they did so who have special expertise of deliberately one kind or another. This they When a When a difficult problem arose, the customary response was to refer it for study and should be, able and are able to do so. The test of such appoint-

report to a committee of senior ments should be the competence of the appointee and not his or her personal politics. a period during the war and in the immediate post-war years when influential public servants like Clifford Clark, Norman Robertson, Graham Towers and Donald Gordon were active promoters of new puppets being manipulated by ideas and approaches that they persuaded their ministers and

the cabinet to adopt.

The federal mandarins then were a tightly knit group of personal friends drawn from various walks of life who had been invited to Ottawa to join the public service during both Conservative and Liberal tracted others like myself and John Deutsch and R. B. Bryce. servants recruited at time of graduation who had risen

Today, in the Trudeau problems arise, they are more often referred to ministerial tees of civil servants. Infrom the civil service but the the cabinet level is so complex nowadays that individual contributions are quickly sub-

The present ministers, suspect, long for a return of the civil servant I operated, which was the memoranda for ministers should not exceed two pages, otherwise they might not be read.

As an illustration of the dif-

many people in government who take their responsibilities seriously, who occasionally put their jobs on the line for something ference in procedure then and now, let me refer to the aplication of price controls.

When I arrived in Ottawa at

the beginning of 1942, the overall price ceiling had just come into effect. The idea was developed during the preceding summer and sold to the cabinet by senior civil servants Canada was the first Allied

By contrast - and allowance ference between wartime and peacetime - the cabinet took the initiative in introducing the present price and income controls. It was the cabinet who scope to the approach finally

I sometimes thought that as ministers we were much too zealous, and that particularly I sometimes thought that as new world: Bought ticket with Chargex, pair wins \$500,000.

cabinet committees discussing which those decisions were each other's proposals. Decieach other's proposals. Decieach other sproposals is why I believe that legislation on the time, we might have had a bet-ter perspective on events and government to provide access more time for politics had we to factual documents would be delegated more to our civil ser- a valuable instrument of public vice advisers and left more policy. time for reflection. . .

This is all very elitist and typical of a former mandarin, it may be said. I suppose it is and I make no apology. I believe a first-class nonpartisan public service former (cabinet) colleague, dedicated to the public interest. John Turner. When we were is one of the bulwarks of parliamentary government. It enables the elected amateurs, gifted or otherwise, to make

govern the country.

I can also understand the frustration of ordinary members of Parliament on both the government and op-position benches and of the general public at not being able to gain access to the advice and the government by its closest regimes, and who in turn at- and most influential advisers.

system, the ministers have the dream. responsibility of governing. The mandarins cannot plead their own case; they cannot defend themselves against atdo not. It is their function to de- fend themselves against atthem and to the public. To ex- and thus destroying the concept pose the advisers and their ad- of anonymity and independence vice to public scrutiny is to pro- which is necessary if they are

What matters after all is not the 'public' cannot judge the one another and promote public sions unless they have access government itself.

In this connection I welcome information legislation of my (debating the matter) some weeks ago, Mr. Turner was at pains to establish the point that vocate of this kind of legisla-

tion. This intrigued me because I used to admire in particular the way Mr. Turner was able by his skill in debate and the power of his personality to gain support for his policies in cabinet and in the House of Commons without yielding ind most influential advisers.
There is no easy answer to Turner letting it all hang out. It may never happen but one can

The mandarins cannot plead mand an accounting from the tack. If they do, they risk being ministers who must answer to drawn into partisan politics ject them into the political to serve governments of any

It is not outside their manthe advice that ministers date, however, to discuss in receive, it is the decision they public the problems and the make. The argument that ideals of their own profession members of Parliament and and thus to instruct and inspire wisdom of government deci- confidence in the institution of

# After the Binge, The Reckoning

THE GLOBE AND MAIL

toward intemperate spending binges — those excesses that produce a month-after headache. Yes, they would be more than happy to lend us money, but it should only be for the necessities of life (a yacht, à red convertible . . .) not for frivolities we cannot afford. Every now and then, hewever, we must be ready for the lender to snap under the directed the civil servants to restraint, and direct his mesprepare a contingency plan sage to that most sensitive many, many months ago.

Later, both ministers and suming greed that lurks in senior advisers urged the most of us. Chargex News, a cabinet to implement controls merry little leaflet that is isbut it was the ministers who sued to sing hallelujahs for the gave the general shape and credit card, contains a news

under Mr. Trudeau we worked out of using a credit card, far too hard and spent far too nothing will. We in the new-

Canada have always struggled course, that the chances run rather strongly against a headline that reads: Bought ticket with Chargex, couple

'card' neither do the beer and cigarette advertisers insist that drinking or smoking their products will turn you into a bright and beautiful young thing. This sort of message is conveyed on the subtlest of as-

sheet reads: How to smile your crowds, and, as you may have guessed, it suggests that the use of the Chargex card (among other things) will ease the December crowds in this way will look for advice in a how to smile their way through

item with a headline that points the way to our brave ing. Those who smile through

## A Cheer for Bureaucrats By RICHARD COHEN

I don't claim she was typical. I don't claim, really, that I know very much about her at all. I know only what she told me Her husband works for the government

years. He loves his job, works hard at it and is proud of what he does. He's tired of being called a bureaucrat. Then she cried.
"I get teary," she said. "Forgive me.
As you know . . ." She broke down again. As you know . . . . 'She broke down again. "It hurts me. We've been with the governent for 25 years. It used to be called

public service. We've been here 25 years or more. My husband works 80 hours or of retire more and he gets paid for 40. He's had no bargain. ncrease in six years. He's in the upper

talking and cry some more. She mentioned politicians who go around talking about nogood bureaucrats, how people from outside Washington were going to come in and put the government into shape. She knew better, she said. People like her husband were the ones who would put the-government in shape.

very interesting work." She cried some more, apologizing all the time. She asked me to write something, and I promised I

first phone call. There have been others one from the wife of a high-level federal official who complained about the salary schedule, how her husband's assistant was

too, that I would write something.
But the phone call that really decided the matter for me came from my father.

He's been with the government for 25 He's retired now, lives in Florida and a subject and simply won't let go. works part-time at almost anything he can

For a time, he took inventory for a firm in the North. He would travel around by car, stopping off at stores that sold certain items and take the inventory on behalf of the company he worked for. The pay wasn't much, but then my father, like a lot of retired people, was in no position to

Eventually, he moved on to somethin else. The inventory company refused to working and efficient. pay him what was owed. It didn't refuse I've worked in priv outright, of course.

They didn't write a letter saying, "Mr. Cohen, after due consideration we have door. I remember one employee, for indecided that you are in Florida and we are stance, who came in every Saturday on in New York, and you are too far away and too poor to really hurt us." Instead, they

So my father called a justice department office in Florida and got the answering service. Soon a man named Mike Mc-Carthy called back and said he would take

But actually I made this promise to know existed — of penalties and recourses myself some time back. Hers was not the and rights. He told him he had been underpaid all along, and that he had more a career than I money coming to him than he believed. He the telephone.

take care of everything. And he did. He did it quickly and politely and efficiently. He was, you understand, a feeling that no one appreciates what they bureaucrat. Call him what you want, the do. cheque arrived in a week.

Something like that has happened to most of us. Reporters come across that sort of thing frequently, only with us it's bureaucrats who have sunk their teeth into You learn sooner or later that there are

but they're not all that rare either. What bothers me is the common belief that people in government are lazy slobs feeding at the public trough while their counterparts in private industry are hard-

I've worked in private industry, an insurance company, and I'm here to tell you that the puritan ethic was checked at the of the day at the window with his binoculars — looking at the hotel bathrooms across the way. If he worked for government, he would have been called typical bureaucrat.

Anyway, the woman on the phone had a care of everything.

He told my father of laws he did not government who goof off, people who spend their time shuffling paper and passing the buck — mastering nothing more in a career than how to use the hold button on

taxpayers a day's work for a day's pay, who come home at the end of the day tired,

It's enough to make you cry.

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Repair Plan for Gas Stations

MONCTON, N.B. (CP) A new firm plans to take some of the cost and the wait out of fixing gasoline pumps used in the Maritimes.

Petrobuild Ltd., located here, is remanufacturing the pumps for oil companies and individual gasoline dealers.

Donald J. Rooney, general-manager of Petrobuild, says it's an operation that will save time and money.

Before the firm started operations a month ago, anyone in the Maritimes who wanted a gasoline pump repaired or wanted parts had to send to Toronto.

"That meant a dealer had to pay about \$150 in shipping charges. We're going to be able to do away with that," Rooney said in an interview. The procedure for taking an old name and within control of its old pump and using parts of it to make a new one is relatively recent, he said.

"Historically, the oil com-panies, who replace the pumps regularly at their ser-vice stations, would put in to-tally new ones and simply put the old ones in storage.

A new pump can cost be-tween \$900 and \$1,000 while the recycled unit costs under

the Bennett Co., which manufactures about 70 per cent of the 12,000 pumps used in the Maritimes. New material, pump parts and building kits are provided by Bennnett.

Petrobuild has hired and trained 10 employees, who "

handle the various stages of pump remanufacture.

Old pumps are dismantled in a ventilated room. Parts that can't be recycled are sold for scrap. Other parts such as the meter, computer

and pumping unit are reas-sembled with new parts. New steel frames are added and steel siding put on. The rebuilt unit is indistin-guishable from a new model xcept for the serial number

gallon government-calibrated test can which determines if gas flow through the pump is

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### TARIFFS RETAINED

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Under the program the cur rent 15-per-cent tariff on im ported television sets will be to 1981 inclusive,

### Flax and Thunder Bay rapeseed prices remained weak, May

and other grains were mixed. Monday's volume of trade was 551,000 bushels and 6,860 tons of rapeseed, 3,520 tons of oats 3,140 of barley, 2,820 of rye, 1,640 of flax and 800 of feed wheat.

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CALGARY (CP) — Moderate receipts to 11 a.m. today at the Calgary Public Stockyards totalled about 1,575 head, mainly slaughter steers,

met a good demand. Slaugh-ter steers sold 75 cents to \$1. higher and cows sold a full \$1 higher. A few bulls on offer sold steady. A1-2 slaughter steers over

A1-2 slaughter steers over 1,000 pounds 35.50-36.80, A3-4 24-35.50, B and C 29-33. A1-2 slaughter heifers over 850 pounds 30-31.50, A3-4 28-29.50, B and C 25-27.50, D1-2 cows 20.50-22.30, D3 19.50-20.50, D4 17-19.50. Good bulls 24-26.50.

Feeder cattle were scarce Feeder cattle were scarce and were mostly in the hea-vier weight ranges and sold

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heifers and cows.

Steers and heifers met a

moderate demand while cows

steady.

Good feeder steers over 800
pounds 30-32.50, good feeder
heifers over 700 pounds 24-27.

A total of 248 hogs were sold
to 11 a.m. at Calgary assembly points. High 46.75, low and
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GOLD

# **Prices Slipping** At Toronto

Volume at 2:30 p.m. EST

was 237,500 shares, compared with 104,800 shares traded up

\$24 and Consumers Gas 1/8 at

514. Asbestos Corp. was up ¼ at \$22¼, Texaco Canada ¼ at \$25¼, Nordair A 40 cents at \$2.65 and Financial Collection

derately in light trading, the first trading day of 1977.

Leading industrials gained sharply, while gold issues were in line with higher world

rose in line with higher world bullion prices.

Canadían stocks were

mixed in light trading.

The Financial Times index

of 30 industrials closed at

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360.6, up 5.9.

Agencies 25 cents at \$1.85.

to the same time Monday. Calgary Power A was off 1/2 at. \$34, Seagram Ltd. 1/4 at

TORONTO (CP) dropped moderately in light mid-afternoon trading on the Toronto stock market Tues-

National Grocers Co. Ltd., a Loblaw Cos. Ltd. subsidiary, and Melchers Distillers Ltd. were untraded following their resumption at the opening.

Among other industrials, Canadian Imperial Bank fell % to \$25¼, Canadian Pacific Investments ½ to \$18%, Union Gas A % to \$9½, Massey-Ferguson % to \$22% and Na-Churs International % to \$6.

Woodward Stores A rose % to \$17%, Peoples Department Stores ½ to \$5½, Canada Packers C ½ to \$18, Nordair A 60 cents to \$2.75 and L.E. Shaw Ltd. A 1/2 to \$71/2.

Brunswick Mining and Smelting dropped ¼ to \$5%, Rio Algom ¼ to \$27% and United Siscoe Mines ½ to \$6%. Roman Corp. was up % to \$22 and Cyprus Anvil Mining % to \$101/2.

Among oils, Prairie Oil Royalties slipped % to \$10, Chieftain Developments % to Sill's and Canada Northwest Land ¼ to \$75%. Siebens Oil and Gas gained to \$14% and Bridger Pete ¼ to \$7%.

### New York

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices lapsed into a steady decline Tuesday in selling attributed mainly to technical forces within the market.

Trading was fairly active,
Trading was fairly active,
NYSE volume came to 15.33
million shares by 2 p.m.
Analysts said there was
nothing particular in United
States economic news to account for the market's
weakness.
Instead they said

weakness.

Instead, they said, some traders seemed to be concerned that the buying power needed for an early-1977 rally might have been used up in the strong advance leading up.

the strong advance leading up-to New Year's.
Saul Smerling at Standard and Poor's Corp. also noted some feeling that "we might-be approaching a bottoming in the downtrend of short term interest rates."
Housing stocks were nota-bly weak in profit taking after

bly weak in profit taking after a strong performance by the group late last year. Johns-Manville dropped 114 to \$321/s in active trading; Centex was off 1 at \$113/4; U.S. Home gave up ½ to \$7%, and Flintkote slipped 1 to

The NYSE's composite index lost .35 to 57.34.

On the American Stock Exchange, the market value index edged up .02 to 110.62.

### Montreal

AT MONTREAL prices were mixed in moderate afternoon trading Tuesday

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# Canadian Businessmen Uncertain over Future

The Canadian Press
The spectre of uncertainty haunts the Canadian business

perous new year.

While some predict 1977 will bring modest economic growth, others are apprehensive about energy problems, anti-inflationary restraints and an unfavorable invest-

ment climate.

Many are taking a cautious stand in view of political changes in Quebec and the



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United States, and how they might shape the course of

Here is a summary of fore-casts for the year from a se-lection of business spokes-

Bernard Panet-Raymond, president, Canadian Chamber of Commerce: Canada is ex-pected to experience less economic growth than in 1976.
This decrease reflects mostly lower expenditures in the housing sector, a slowdown in the rate of consumer expenditures and the likely absence of real growth in business.

Rowland C. Frazee, president, Canadian Bankers' Association: The Canadian economy is likely to continue a modest growth pattern during 1977. Inflation should moderate slightly but the unemploy-ment level will be a major problem. One of the brighter problem. One of the brighter aspects is the outlook for Canadian exports, especially those to the United States, which should be a major source of economic strength for the year. Real gross national product should increase by about four to 4.5 per cent.

cananan Manuacturers Association: If we were to attempt to describe the outlook for 1977 in two words, they might very well be 'below potential.' The recent elections in Quebec and in the U.S. generate very large question and the long term. For the near future, the anti-inflation program continues to be the greatest source of uncer-

R. E. Hatch, chairman, Canadian Export Association:
Prospects for Canada's export trade in 1977 have been brightened by the recent decline in value of the Canadian dollar but remain difficult to forecast. Much will depend on the economic policies to be adopted by the Carter administration and the way inministration and the way in-which the U.S. economy re-sponds to them. Canada's export community has obvious reasons to hope for effective expansionary policies that will quickly resuscitate the U.S.

W. H. Dalton, president, Canadian Gas Association: The association is conscious of the social and environmental lines can be built, but I be-lieve we must strike a bal-ance between the nation's energy needs and our social and environmental objectives. A delay in deciding where this balance lies means increasing dependence on foreign oil supplies - a dependence we can

W. O'D Costello, assistant managing director, Mining Association of Canada: While exports of our leading miner-als will show a significant vol-ume increase, this will not result in a comparable increase in company earnings. Explo-ration programs, major plant expansion or new mining developments are not likely to be the political situation in Que-

Geoffrey Jackson, chair-man, Canadian Institute of Steel Construction: Another lacklustre construction year, comparable to 1976, is fore-cast. This is based on the assumption of a continuation the current unfavorable economic and political cli-mate for investment in Canada. Any improvement will de-pend largely on early action by our governments to restore

Howard Hart, president, Canadian Pulp and Paper Association: Although market de-1977, it will not be up to 1974 levels. Industry ship-ments and operating rates in the mills are expected to stay close to their present levels during the first half of 1977.

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deGrandpre, chairman, Bell Canada: Canada is expected to experience a slight deceleration in the rate slight deceleration in the rate of economic growth in 1977. The economy's major strength will come from further increases in consumer spending and a modest improvement in exports, encouraged by a lower value of the Canadian dollar and continued economic expansion in finued economic expansion in the U.S.

James M. Robb, president, Canadian Real Estate Associ-ation: With properties being placed on the market far explaced on the market far ex-ceeding demand, coupled with a large unsold inventory of new homes, at least the first half of 1977 will be a buyer's

\*\*\* \* T. R. Suttie, chairman, Canadian Life Insurance Association: As the public continues to increase its life insurance and retirement coverage in times of uncertainty and inflation, the sales outlook for 1977 is good. The same trends that brought about an increase in life insurance sales of 12 per cent in 1976 compared with 1975 are expected to continue.

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### · LONDON **METALS**

LONDON (AP) — Closing metals bid-ask in pounds sterling per met-ric ton; silver in pence per troy Copper — Spot 805-805.5; futures 839-839-5. Tin/— Spot 5,200-5,210; futures 5,300-5,305. Lead — Spot 299-300; futures 310,5-311. Zinc — Spot 397-399; futures ver - Spot 259-259.3; three

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# Toronto TSE Adopts New Indexing

TORONTO (CP) — Investors who checked the Toronto stock market index Monday may have been startled to discover it apparently jumped more than five times since the close of 1976 business last week.

week.

It doesn't mean that 1977 started with a stock market

ward reflects is the newly de-signed system of measuring market performance called the TSE 300, begun Monday by the Toronto Stock Ex-

The new index goes into operation with an arbitrarily-set base level for measuring the movement of stocks of close to 1,000, about the same as the Dow Jones industrial average, the most closely watched barometer of United

States stock prices.

The TSE indicator will move in the range of between 950 and 1,050, compared with 170 and 180 under the old sys-

tem.

The new range of price levels was chosen to compare with the Dow. However, the TSE 300 is a grouping of 300 stocks, while the Dow index is made up of only 30 stocks. made up of only 30 stocks.

### MUTUAL **FUNDS**

For the first time in 43 years, the familiar four major indiciés of the Toronto exchange — industrials, base metals, golds and western oils — will disappear from use.

The TSE, 300 has 14 major groups of stocks, subdivided

rne TSE, 300 has 14 major groups of stocks, subdivided into 43 minor subgroups.

"We will now have an overall measure of market activity and performance, which we did not have before," said W. W. Berghuis, chairman of the committee that worked on the new system.

represent a quarter of the total 1,200 exchange listings but nearly all the stood where there is substantial trading.

The main 14 listings under the TSE 300 will be minerals, golds, oil and gas, forest, con-sumer, industry, building, transport, pipelines, utilities, communications, merchandis-ing financial and manageing, financial and manage-ment.

These 14 major groups were designed to present a cross-section of the Canadian econ-

omy.

"We have attempted to make the various indexes responsibe to the economic factors that move the companies' operating profits around," said S. T. Creet, a member of the index committee.

the index committee.

"This arrangement and classification will provide an indication to investors of the diversity of issues available in some areas of the economy, but we realize it will also but we realize it will also show up some areas where publicly-traded company

shares are lacking."

For example, the old western oils index included only

GOLD FUTURES LONDON (AP) — Monday's closing gold prices in U.S. dollars per ounce: London—closed; Paris—\$135.64; Frankfuri—\$134.875; Hong Kong—\$133.12.

EARNINGS V\$ Services Ltd., 39 weeks ended Sept. 29: 1976, \$1,187,000, 56 cents a share; 1975, \$1,010,000, 42\_cents.



the shares of companies that produced and explored for oil and natural gas.

It did not include the huge, integrated companies such as Imperial Oil Ltd. or Shell Canada Ltd. These firms were listed in a sub-group called refining oils.

refining oils.

However, some familiar names will survive under the new system.

The golds, for example, will contain nearly the same issues with the major addition of Kerr-Addison Mines Ltd., which had been included in which had been included in the old base metals index. As well, the paper and

forest products group will contain all issues of the old 'sub group of industrials.'

Three other sub-groups —

food processing, steels, chemicals and banks — survive with the same names.

Other changes include industrial mines being integrated mines, base metals chang-ing to metal mines, and oil refining being called integrat-

ed oils.

The new "merchandise" group in the top 14 will include department stores, clothing stores, food stores, specialty retailers, hotels, motels, restaurants and wholesale distributors.

Ltd., which controls such en Ltd., which controls such en-terprises as Dominion Stores Ltd., the supermarket chain, and Massey-Ferguson Ltd., the farm equipment manufac-

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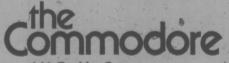


# Here are some old friends

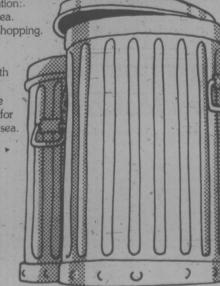
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MONTREAL (CP) — Montreal Canadiens' forechecking was the cause of the death of Philadelphia Flyers' 20-game National Hockey League un-Monday night.

The Canadiens fired three unanswered third-period goals for a 6-4 triumph while outshooting the Flyers 55-27.

"We never had a chance," said Philadelphia captain Bobby Clarke, who assisted

Bobby Clarke, who assisted on the first goal of the game at 2:14 of the second period.

"They probably had more shots than they did in practice. "We kept coming back every time they tied it in the

bill

Laycoes Enjoying Life

In New Home in Holland

The year-end in review;
While the Vancouver Canucks are deep in miseries, a former Canuck manager and coach is doing all right in a new setting, It was a surprise and a pleasure to receive a card from Amsterdam where Marjorie and Hal Laycoe now are domiciled. Hal is the Dutch national coach and probably is finding that things don't change much in a hockey way no matter where one works. Good talent is hard to find, he says, but he is kept busy with his program and is enjoying his new position and the travel that goes with it. The Laycoes wish to be remembered to their friends here.

Meanwhile, in Vancouver it appears doubtful if the Can-ucks have much to look forward to for the rest of the year al-though they should be able to garner a playoff spot. The division they play in certainly isn't much as St. Louis Blues,

the leaders, would be hard pressed to even qualify for a playoff spot in any other division of the NHL. Their 37-point total of the moment is only one better than third-place Los Angeles in the Norris Division. The Canucks are only two points away from being dead last of all the teams but need

only show a slight improvement to finish ahead of first-year Colorado and in the playoffs.

This isn't much of a recommendation, but coach Orland Kurtenbach may have the right idea. When questioned on TV the other night he said he didn't plan any changes to the club

the other night he said he didn't plan any changes to the club immediately because he wanted at least a month to see for himself what the players could or couldn't do.

In other words, he was giving the players the opportunity to turn things around. If they could, fine. If they couldn't, then he would make his decisions and institute the necessary changes. But he was definite he wasn't about to change just for the sake of change. He would give the players every consideration while bringing in some of his own personal coachings methods.

New York Islanders and Kurtenbach staged a personal shocker later when he charged referee Wally Harris with inefficiency in a 5-3 loss to the Rangers and charged into the

officials' dressing room. The outbreak probably won't go un-punished, but at least Kurtenbach is out to get every break he can, even if he has to force his hand in this manner. Now

if the Canucks would show the same fight . . . But now, further trouble . . . Mike Walton, their second highest scorer, has been injured. It's that kind of a year.

That was a big victory for coach Mike Gallo and his University of Victoria Viketies in a basketball tournament on the mainland on the weekend. The college gals knocked off Home

that puts Victoria right on top in the nation with the No. 1

and 2 clubs. This was almost the case last year, remember? The Vikettes turned out to be the forgotten team of sports

when they ended up only one victory away from an unbeaten season and the collegiate championship last year. This year, maybe a double for the city. Who knows? But good luck to

Included in a few loose straws picked up during the horse racing season was this vignette from the Jack Short stable of stories. And it seems that when Jack, now a commissioner,

was in his heyday as an announcer, he wasn't always perfect and got caught up the stretch a time or two.

Once he had an actress as a guest in his radio booth and

he warned her that she should step back and stand clear once the race began as he would be operating three mikes, one for TV, one for the track and one for his "taped" show to be

TV, one for the track and one for his "taped" show to be broadcast by radio later. But she didn't heed the caution.

When the race started, Jack was giving his call and, as he swung around he accidentally stepped on the actress' foot. That hurt and she yelled.

was no disrespect intended: this was just how things happen.

And a travel note from a summer trip around the province under the heading of something different. At Salmo, a golf-port, a golf course and an airport combined, or as the controller might intone: "Sixth fairway clear for takeoff."

Regrets from Greig

a nurr and she yened.

A few minutes later, the radio station controller called
1 asked: "Jack did you have a horse named "Jesus
rist" running in the fourth race?" Jack explained there

walker

second period, but they're a good hockey team too. We didn't have enough tonight." The Flyers led by a goal four times before the Canadiens took the lead. But it was Ernie Parent who kept the

Ernie Parent who kept the Flyers close for so long.

"They've got a great team," said Parent of the Canadiens. "It was tiring as hell. It's got to be five years since I had 55 shots. We had to be doing something wrong to have that many shots against us.

against us.

"Their forechecking was great. They just wouldn't let us get organized. That's the way we win when we win."

the second-best record in the league behind Montreal, had been looking, ahead to the game and that may have contributed to their defeat.

"Everybody's been talking about this game for a week or so, and maybe we got uptight. when that happens you don't play your game. On most of those goals I made the right move, but I made them late." Jacques Lemaire, who had a goal and three assists for the Canadiens said the winthe Canadiens, said the win-ners were ready for the clash

"If you're not up for the game against the Flyers, they check so close that you're right out of it very fast. Every player in this room is

GUY LAPOINTE

Goalie Ken Dryden, who was tested 27 times by the Flyers, saw the comeback as a good sign.
"Over the course of a season, we're going to get behiad against considerably lesser teams. But when you're down to one of your major competitors, that's something to come back like we did." back like we did."
Coach Scotty Bowman Iaud-

ed his Montreal defence for a fine performance. Guy Lapointe, a standout on the blue line, scoring two goals and assisting on an-other, shrugged off the pain of a groin pull suffered on his last shift Sunday against At-

lanta Flames.
"It hurt a little bit, but the first period was good for me.'

First period was good for me."

PHILS. 4, MONTREAL 6

First Period:
No scoring.
Penalties — Bouchard (M), 1:39;
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# BEST BEHAVIOR NOT VERY GOOD

LONDON (AP\_Reuter) —
Soccer star George Best was charged by the English Football Association today with bringing the game into disrepute, a serious accusation that might lead to a long suspension or heavy fine.

The charge followed an incident at the end of the Fulham-Chelsea game last week, when Best allegedly made a gesture as he left the field

ham-Chelsea game last week, when Best allegedly made a gesture as he left the field and was reported by the ref-

more penalty points, he might face a second suspension.

Fulham and Best have

Under the rules of the association, players collect pentofight the latest charge.

# **Soviet Tourists Down Mariners**

an viadimir Petrov scored one goal and had three assists as the touring Soviet Union all-star team beat San Diego Mariners of the World Hockey Association 6-3 in an exhibition game Monday night.

Cochrane (6-2) and the other six-footers — Keith Hertz, Lorry Gloeckner. Bill Jobson, San Diego, which has the best record in the WHA, got first-period goals from Don Lord Burgess and Wayne Rivers.

Cochrane (6-2) and the other six-footers — Keith Hertz, Lorry Gloeckner. Bill Jobson, Kevin Clackson and Mark Robinson.

Gogol (and not first) tion game Monday night.

overcame a 2-0 San Diego

He then assisted on the final give the Russians agoal of the game as the Rusnever relinquished.

SAN DIEGO (AP) - Veter- sians blew open a 4-3 advan-

Petrov had two of his assists and one goal in the second period as the Russians at 2-2. Then Petrov scored

Shields Selected 

to the 12-member Canadian from Pritish Columbia named junior team as the six-day national team trials came it. junior team as the six-day in tional team trials came to a close Monday in Saskatoon.

In addition, a nine-memory senior team was named to represent Canada at the representation of the represent boys and six girls, will com-pete against the United

States' junior squad in a meet

his hand but has been cleared

to play.
In addition, Fraser and In addition, Frase.

John Gordon also are coming off the injured list. Their return and the addition of the lineup.

Also adding to the training-look Monday was the

turn and the addition of new newcomers prompted coach Pat Ginnell to come up with four new lines Monday.

Enquist will centre Fraser and Gregg Anderson while Trafford will start between Gordon and Spencer. Geordie Gordon and Spencer. Geordie Robertson will pivot Jobson and Gogol while rookie Gary Lupul went between Dennis

Least significant is the mid-Two girls teams from the Mercy Valley Basketball Association of Tasmania will play exhibition games against The "B" team, or the younger of the two sides, will meet Spectrum at 6:30 p.m. at Reynolds with the "A" team clashing with Reynolds comes out in the whites.

The mid-term switch is in keeping with league regula-tions, but it may help accen-tuate the new look about the

toria lineup.

The Victoria roster is at 22,

chie Henderson won't be on hand because of a broken

without Henderson,



from coach Pat Ginnell after joining Victoria's Western Canada Hockey League squad Monday. Acquired in trade with Calgary (left to right) Brent

playing debuts tonight at Memorial Arena in game against Kamloops Chiefs. (Times photo by Bill

defendeman and one forward, will sit out tonight's game, Ginnell will wait until game time before declaring his lineup.

# Add Name of Lennartz To Cougars' New List

TASMANIAN TEAMS ON TOUR

Times Staff

Victoria Cougars launch the second half of their Western Canada Hockey League cam-paign tonight, yet Monday's practice resembled a training

New players to introduce ... new formations on the ice ... a "new" assistant for the owner-coach-manager ... and even a change of uniforms.

term change in colors. white uniforms for their first 18 home games, Cougars don the blue duds at Memorial Arena tonight. Kamloops Chiefs, the travelling team,

Cougars.
Observers of Le Hockey generally agree that dark duds emphasize size.
It's not that the Cougars need help in that department.
Acquisitions and trades, including Sundav's two-for-three swap with Calgary Centennials, have added considerable height and weight to the Victoria lineup.

including goaltenders Murray Bannerman and Steve Amiss. Of the 20 skaters, 11 stand over six feet. And the tallest, six-five Ar-

there is impressive size because of Kim Spencer (6-4).

Brent Gogol (6-3), Glen
Cochrane (6-2) and the other

first-period goals from Don
Burgess and Wayne Rivers.
Boris Mikhailov and AlekBoris Mikhailov and Alekmisspelled by the front-office on Monday and Cochrane came to the Cougars, along with centre Paul Enquist, in a trade for Mike Toal and Alvin OUT OF BASEBALL

All firee newcomers, along with centre Ron Trafford, obtained from Regina Pats last month, will make their first starts as Couears tonight. Trafford made the move from Regina with a broken bone in

ATLANTA (AP) — Sus-pended Atlanta Braves base-lanta in 1968, will remain a pended Atlanta Braves baseball owner Ted Turner was named a majority owner of the National Basketball Association Atlanta Hawks on
Monday and Mike Storen was
named president and general
manager of the club.
Storen, a former American
Basketball Association comStoren, a former American
Basketball Association comStoren However, I'm going to Basketball Association commissioner, replaces Bud Seretean, who will continue as a member of the board of direc- ta.' Turner, 38, said he owns more than 50 per cent of the Hawks.

Ginnell said Lennartz will serve as his assistant.

"He'll handle the team

teams from the Victoria InterHigh School Girls' Basketball
League here Wednesday
night.

Tasmanians are on a tour of Canada and the western U.S.

Doug Lecuyer, with three,
Doug Robb, Grant Morin and
tour of Canada and the western U.S.

Personal Animosity

Irrelevant In Action

CHICAGO (AP) — A federal judge said Monday that any malice baseball commissioner Bowie Kuhn may have had toward Oakland A's owner Charles Finley is irrelevant to the outcome of Finley's \$3.5 million suit against

Kuhn.

Judge Frank McGarr told ice.

Kuhn's Bleakley Peter Bleakley, one of Kuhn's Bleakley cross-examination of the stand Monday and attempted to show that bimself was "dif-

INTO BASKETBALL

Cougars and Kamloops are deadlocked for second place in the Western Division, eight points behind New West-

Szott and Toal both made their debuts with Calgary in Medicine Hat on Monday. Szott managed one assist as the Tigers edged Calgary 7-6 to move into sole possession of first place in the Central Division.

Tigers with three goals, in-cluding the winner. Brian Hill added a pair while Merlin Malinowski and Ken Oulton fired singles.

again the case will be decided on the question of whether Kuhn had the authority to void the June sales.

"That's the gut question that's still open," said Bleak-ley after the court session concluded. "I'm still hopeful of our case."

Neil Papiano, Finley's law-yers, said he will conclude the

prosecution's case today by reading pre-trial documents into the record after which Bleakley may begin calling defence witnesses. Earlier, McGarr told Bleak

time of the sales "is peripheror poor doesn't mean a lot to

After a short recess, Bleak-ley cited a sub-section of a baseball rule covering miscovers violence, gambling or gifts to umpires, should be "construed as exclusively ... Storen, 41, was a vice-

# Advance Raider Troops On Move

Tom Cousins, one of the



test against India.

Greig made 75 of the runs
to be 94 not out at the close
and England, on 285 for six,
held a first-innings lead of

"They have not seen much get to exciting cricket but I hope nings."

ting by saying that to score rapidly on the slow, turning pitch was virtually impossi-ble. And with conditions likely to deteriorate still further,
'I feel sorry for this great England had to make certain Calcutta crowd," Greig said.
"They have not seen much get to chase in the second in-



Leave it to Al Davis to leave nothing to chance.

The mysterious, sometimes sinister, and always secretive head man of Oakland Raiders sent his advance troops on Monday to the Super Bowl battleground a day before the team's arrival to scout the training facilities.

The troops: Head coach

The sure ly understand the Raiders' apprehension and thoroughness.

Irvine training camp or their Newport Beach hotel a 10-Newport nothing to chance.

The mysterious, sometimes sinister, and always secretive head man of Oakland Raiders sent his advance troops

Monday to the chance in the sure of the control of the c

The troops: Head coach
John Madden and all his assistants. Their mission:
Checking all the nooks and crannies of the University of California at Imition. California at Irvine.

might not seem like such a big deal - but Min- Raiders are pleased with their

minutes from their training camp, the Los Angeles Rams' in-season training site at Blair Field in Long Beach.

The problem, Grant points out, is that it's a two-hour bus ride north from Costa Mesa and from Newport Beach, for that matter to Pasadena and the Rene Rowl the scene of the teams has to come one of the teams has to come out of it a winner, a major change for both of them.

The Raiders, perhaps more than any other team in the league, have been symbolic of life's losers. In nine of the last 10 years they have won division titles. simply stroll across the street to their facilities, the Houston Oilers' practice field. No one knows whether the the Rose Bowl, the scene of

In only one of those pre-

Sunday's game. So Grant and vious eight have they may the Vikes will be pulling up aged to make it through the stakes in Costa Mesa on Friplayoffs and into the Sunday's game. So Grant and vious eight have they may the sunday in the sunday in the sunday in the sunday is game. So Grant and vious eight have they may the sunday in the sunday in the sunday is game. So Grant and vious eight have they may the sunday in the sunday in the sunday in the sunday is game. So Grant and vious eight have they may the sunday in the aged to make it through the playoffs and into the Super Bowl. And in that one, they were throttled 33-14 by Green

> eight of the last nine seasons. In the previous seven, they managed three trips to the Super Bowl.

And in all three they came out on the short end, losing 16-6 to Pittsburgh two years ago, 24-7 to Miami three years ago and 23-7 to Kansas City

# Alouette Boss Shrugs Off Rodgers' Defection to NFL

Berger, owner of Montreal Alouettes, did not sound terribly upset Monday night after stotback Johnny Rodgers apparently decided on the latter course of action, stotback Johnny Rodgers apparently decided on the latter course of action, ending a four-year stay in the signed a series of one-year contracts with San Diego (TL. He signed with the NFL contracts with San Diego (CFL. He signed with the NFL contracts of the National CFL and the latter course of the National CFL and the latter course of action, ending a four-year stay in the signed a series of one-year contracts with San Diego (Contracts with San Diego) (Contracts with San Diego (Contracts with San Diego (Contracts with San Diego (Contracts with San Diego (Contracts with San Diego) (Contracts with San Diego (Contracts with San Diego) (Con Chargers of the National-Football League.

Football League club.
"We terminated his contract as we had a right to do.

on the latter course of action, ending a four-year stay in the CFL. He signed with the NFL club that made him a first round college draft choice in 1973.

Terms of the deal were not disclosed at a new conference in San Diego to announce the signing, but the Chargers were reported to have given Rodgers more than they offered him when he signed with the Alouettes.

Rodgers had a 10-year, 51-million contract with Montreal, but it was torn up by Berger last month after a season in which Rodgers was almost constantly embroiled in controversy with coach Mary Levy and was accused by team-mates of missing practices and team meetings

riversity of the source of information in a "wristslapping" story that appeared in a Montreal newspaper.

Robinson said Rodgers "im
Robinson said Rodgers "im-

The Steelers failed to bring a football title to Pittsburgh this season but the Pitt Panthers didn't.

Barely one week after the defending Super Bowl cham-pion Steelers were eliminated from the National Football Loague playoffs, the unbeaten

lege football's national championship.

first unbeaten season in 58 years Saturday by routing Georgia 27-3 in the Sugar Bowl for a 12-0 record, was an

overwhelming and near-per-fect winner in The Associated

Press's national championship

a countrywide panel of sports writers and broadcasters. It was their first national cham-

pionship in 39 years and second since the AP poll originated in 1936.

Pitt, ninth in the pre-season poll, moved up to third place by winning its opener handly against Notre Dame on the road 31-10. The Panthers then

climbed into second place be-hind Michigan on the third weekend of the season and

Houston Cougars, unranked before the season, jumped from sixth to fourth with 804

points by upending previously unbeaten Maryland 30-21 in the Cotton Bowl.

Then came defending cham-

Rodgers was quoted as saying he wanted to do after his hud-dles with Berger last month. He said then: "I'm planning



JOHNNY RODGERS signs with Chargers

record 931 yards on 75 returns and was third in kickoff run-backs with 444 yards on 17

# Undefeated Panthers MERMAN Best In College Ranks

# THORPE RATED **GREATEST EVER**

Thorpe, the late legendary American Indian athlete, has

college football game Sunday, and will receive the award later at the White House.

American Indian athlete, has been honored as the greatest football player ever as winner track at Carlisle Indian Indus-

of a readers' poll in Sport trial School in Pennsylvania.

magazine.

At the 1912 Olympics, he
Three members of Thorpe's won gold medals in the defamily were present for the cathlon and pentathlon. But announcement during half-time of the American Bowl college tootball game Sunday, and will receive the award status by playing professional

Johnny Unitas, formerly of played for several years in Baltimore Colts, was a close the early days of professional second. Red Grange was third—football. He died in 1853.



cut a piece off the bottom and patched your shirt."

# Clippers Run Streak to 18

ticton Vees are leading their B.C. Junior Hockey League B.C. Junior Hockey League
with similar records, but three points, 64-61 in the Intewhile the Vees are having rior Division. trouble drawing clear of se-cond-place Kelowna in the In-terior Division, the Clippers

Kevin Maxwell of Penticton
is the league scoring leader
with 35 goals and 53 assists have opened up a 23-point edge in the Coastal Division thanks to a great home

record...
The Clippers Saturday night scored their 18th consecutive home-ice victory, an 8-6 victo-

HOCKEY TRAIL

Saskatchewan Junior
Humboldt 4, Battlefords 3,
Melville 5, Weyburn 2.
Central
Salt Lake 5, Dallas 2,
Exhibition
Soviet Union 6, San Diego
(WHA) 2

while the Clippers have 63.

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SCORING LEADERS

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# Meyers Sparkles

goals to lead Chemainus trailed 3-2 after the first Blues to an 8-4 victory over period and 5-2 after the sec-Western Homes Buckaroos and first place in the South in a game Monday night at

Memorial Arena.

Doug Lafleur and Greg Chadwick added two goals each to the Chemainus total and Dave Griff contributed a

ond frame.

John Lindsay and Steve
Kishkan combined to block 25
shots on the Buckaroo goal
while Mike Carter of Blues

made 21 saves.

Chemainus 22 11 6 5 102 92 26
Arbielica 22 11 7 4 116 92 26
Maple Leafs 23:09 8 5 320 134 25
Buckaroos 24 11 11 2:021 317 24
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Juan de Fuca 25 6 15 4 115 136 16



# McKay's Absence Didn't Hurt A's

Victoria Athletics pulled together Monday night to offset the absence of league scoring leader Jim MacKay and the first-place club extended its unbeaten streak to 12 games oby defeating Trilec Installa-tions 78-65 in one of two Vic-toria Senior "B" Men's Bas-ketball League games at Vic-

after dropping its opener to Missouri 46-25, finished sec-ond in the final rankings. The Bay fired 50 points in each half to come up with a 100-64 decision over Stevens Interi-

Trojans received the other three first-place votes and 1,118 points in moving up from third in the final regulation of the first place of the first place of the points and Bert Zethof fired 16 as every player on the squad hit for at the five points. Darrel Johnfor the first eight weeks of the campaign, slipped from sec-ond to third with 847 points. marksman with 14 points. Bob Hucul sparked Oak Bay

# Oak Bay Clicks

pion Oklahoma, up from eighth place to fifth with 638 points following a 41-7 Fiesta Bowl rout of Wyoming. The two-time champion Sooners, who got as high as third place early in the eagen, fell short Oak Bay Trios moved to within six points of fourth-place Juan de Fuca King early in the season, fell short in their bid for an unprece-dented third consecutive na-

T-Birds Ousted By Dinosaurs

defined furth consecutive na-tional title.

Rounding out the top 10 were: Ohio State, 11th in the previous poll but a 27-10 win-ner over Colorado in the Orange Bowl: Texas A and University of Calgary Dino-

walloning Florida 37-14 in the Sun Bowl; Maryland, down to eighth from fourth; Nebraska, the preseason leader which jumped to ninth from 13th by downing Texas Tech 27-24 in the Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl; and Georgia, which was fifth in the previous ratings and had an outside, shot at the national championship until losing to Pitt.

versity of Laurentian Voyageurs in the championship in the University of Calgary Basketball Classic tonight.

Dinosaurs advanced to the finals Monday by defeating University of British Columbia Thunderbirds 88-72 while the Voyageurs, from Sudbury, Ont., defeated Lakehead University Nor'westers, 85-76.

Hockey League play Monday night at Juan de Fuca Arena. fred two goals each to pace the Oal Bay offence while Larry Hansen scored once. Brad Girling, Steve Saunders and Tom Wilson an-

Goaltender Ken Shaw of Gulls made 25 saves and Paul Vaesen blocked 20 shots on

Kerry Blain and Stan Alstad

Next game: Tonight — Saanich vs. Mill Bay, Pearkes Arena, 7:15.

LONDON (Reuter) — Ice.
frost and snow completed their domination of Britain's intensive Christmas and New Year's soccer program Monday but holiday crowds saw plenty of excitement at the plenty of excitement at the clenty of excitement at the plenty of excitement at the plenty of excitement at the plenty of excitement at the clenty of excitement at the plenty of excitement at the plenty of excitement at the clenty of excitement at the plenty of excitement at the clenty of excitement at the plenty of ex

third had to be called off. But although there were only three First-Division matches played Monday two at least

Championship contender Ipswich conceded a first-minute goal to Manchester United even before they had found their feet on a rost-har-

The third First - Division match, between struggling West Ham and West Bromwich Albion, finished a scoreless draw, but in the

ENGLISH LEAGUE

### To Join Wings

DETROIT (AP) — Detroit Red Wings have called up of the International Hockey

### SPORTS MENU

Branch Canada

\*\*S p.m. Western Canada
League, Victoria Cougars vs. Kamloops Chiefs, Memorial Arena.

\*\*S p.m. Canada C

Interest at 8% per annum will be allowed on payments made between January 1st and April 30th, 1977, interest will be calculated from the date of payment to June 30th, 1977.

December 30th, 1976.

# Warmth In Games Despite Weather

game by scoring Ipswich's away in the same six minutes from time, to put his side just two points behind league leaders Liverpool with three games in an amount of the same side of the same side

At Arsenal, Leeds United opened the scoring through Allan Clarke in the 57th minute. Joe Jordan found Clarke with space for a deft chip which caught Arsenal goal-keeper Jimmy Rimmer off his line and floated into the net. Malcolm MacDonald tied it.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE Premier Division
Aperdeen 4, Hearts 1,
Kilmarnock 2, Motherwell 2
Division 1
Clydebank 8, Astroath 1,
Montrose 1, Morton 3,
Division 11
Berwick Cowdenbeath 0,
Duntermine 1,
Queen's Park 4, Strannaer 2,

Schamehorn, Detroit's fourth-round draft pick last June, has eight goals, 20 as-sists and 139 penalty minutes in 34 games with Kalamazoo. He played last season with New Westminster Bruins.

olds.

HOCKEY
8:30 p.m. South Vancouver
Island Junior "B" League, Fuller
Lake Flyers vs. Lake Cowichan
Bairds
Trucking, Fuller Lake
Arena, BASKETBALL

9 p.m. — Victoria Senior "B"
Men's League, Trilec Installation
vs. Stevens Interiors, Oak Bay Junlor High School.

### NOTICE TO **ESQUIMALT TAXPAYERS** PREPAYMENT OF 1977 TAXES

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LONDON (CP) — British Soccer Peterborough standings after games played Satur Port Vale Northampton York

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# Old Trophy, New System

thing new will be featured when the Greater Victoria High School Rugby League opens play Jan. 12. 
The league is re-introducing the Lt.-Col. Hodgins Trophy, which was last competed for in 1927, and will be trying out

Greater Victoria high schools year, while the Lt.-Col. Hodgins Joh

and the bottom five going into the Lt.-Col. Hodgins Division.

Each of the divisions will then play a single round-robin.

the Lt.-Col. Hodgins Trophy, which was last competed for in 1927, and will be trying out the new schedule format introduced in the high school soccer league this past fall.

All 10 teams will play a sin-









# 'World's Most Watchable Women'

SAN DIEGO (AP) - Rosalynn Carter has been declared members. "most watchable mother" by

'In the presidential cam-

"most watchable mother" by the International Society of Girl Watchers.

The wife of President-elect Carter headed a list of the 10 "most watchable women of the world" announced Monday by the organization,

The president Carter paign, she gave Jimmy Carter tremendous support and real vote-getting help," said Joseph Beagin, who founded the society in 1960. "She has a great personality and charmed everyone." Other winners included:

Most watchable wife — Elizabeth Dole, wife of the 1976

Republican, vice-presidential nominee.

Most watchable singer — Sandra Palmer.

Linda Ronstadt.

Most watchable actress — Jane Pauley of the NBC Most watched singer — Sanda Fainer.

Linda Ronstadt. — Most watchable newscaster — Jane Pauley of the NBC Today Show. Sion's Bionic Woman. — Most watchable teenager — actress Mariel Hemingway of nast.

pocket-sized wallets with rat-ing cards and "carry out the aims of the society to compli-ment and call attention to alovely, well-groomed women."

WRONG

QUESTION

CHICAGO — The wife of Muhammad Ali has been granted a divorce from the world heavyweight boxing champion on grounds of de-

sertion.

The former Mrs. All, Khalllah Tolona, received, her divorce in a decree signed last week in Cook County Circuit Court. She will receive custody of the couple's four children, the family home, two cars, an apartment building on the city's south side and an undisclosed amount of alimony for the next five years. MILAN (UPI) — A judge Monday gave an electrical firm personnel director a one-month suspended jail sentence for asking a prospective woman employee if she was married, engaged or "had a boyfriend."

The employee, Maria Sanfilippo, denied all male attachments when she applied for the job, but in fact was pregny for the next five years.

NEW YORK — Outgoing U.S. Secretary of State Henry Kissinger may take up a new "show biz" career — with a start at the top of the heap, the New York Post reported Monday. Monday.

riage commissioner.

The bride and groom, Terry Ryan, 38, both wore casual clothes and were virtually unnoticed. It, was the second marriage for Mrs. Ryan and the third for her husband. The post said CBS chairman and founder William Paley has tapped Kissinger as his successor when he retires from the network this spring at the age of 75. Neither Kissinger, who is vacationing in Acapulco, nor Paley, reported "out of the country," were available for comment. A CBS spokesman denied the story.

NEW YORK — After hearing a talk from their new boss about being expected to work long hours, 17 members of Queens District Attorney John Santauci's staff found themselves stuck for an hour and a belt in a courtbuse elegator.

Santucci commented later:
"Those weren't the kind of long long hours I meant."

ments when she applied for the job, but in fact was pregnant at the time.

The company fired her when it discovered her pregnancy at the Clark County in the country of the

ZURICH, Switzerland — Soviet dissident Vladimir Bukovsky — two weeks out of a Soviet, jail — flies to Britain today in search of rest and a new future.

Bukovsky, freed at Zurich — COPENHAGEN — Princess Margaretha, Swedish-born widow of the late Prince Axel of Denmark, died today, the royal court announced. She was 77.

airport Dec. 18 in exchange for the release of Chilean Communist leader Luis Cor-

valan from a Chilean prison camp, plans to stay at the Sussex home of a friend and to explore the possibilities of resuming his university studies in Britain.





Confounding!

Sherlock Holmes meets Sigmund Freud

THE SEVEN-PER-CENT SOLUTION

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# LOSE **WEIGHT:** HARD WAY

Can there be anything worse than practically starving yourself to lose a few pounds? Or, more to the point, is there a better why? Yes there is! And the January issue of Reader's Digest tells you about it. By simply changing the way you do everyday tasks, you can change into a slimmer, more change into a slimmer, more attractive you. You'll feel better too, because you won't have to endure hunger pangs while you're reducing. THINGS THE HARD WAY—it's the no-diet way to lose weight! One of more of Reader's Digest. At your

# Shirley's Mother Dies

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) - The obituary ran only four para-

Newspaper morgues all over the United States, all over the world, are stuffed with thick blographies of Shirely Temple. Forty-three years ago the dimpled, six-year-old curlyhead became a phenomenon even for Hollywood.

But only here and there in

But only here and there in the yellowing clips and the press agent puffery will you find a mention of Gertrude Temple.

eler, she was married to George Temple, a Santa Mon-ica, Calif., assistant bank manager and was the mother of two other children, Jack, 14, and George Jr., 10, when Shirley was born in 1928.

movie sets many years ago say Gertrude Temple's deter-

say Gertrude Temple's determination and protectiveness played as big a part as her daughter's natural talent in Shirley Temple Black, has died at a local hospital after a long illness. She was 84."

A few more lines wrapped it up.

Newspaper morgues all over the United States, all over the World, are stuffed with thick biographies of Shirley. She stayed alone with Shirley and was always ready with suggestions about costumes, hairdos, dance routines.

She stayed alone with Shirley and the side died last Saturday. It was their 64th wedding anniversary.

Shirley was there too.

# Earthy Basic Rhythm of Sex Spells Success on the Top 40

LOS ANGELES (AP) Spend an hour someday listening to your favorite Top-40 radio station, and what are you likely to get? Sex, lots of

romantic and often downright raunchy sex, sex with a beat-and sex a cappella — for pop music, 1976 was the year of The Erotic Song.

From Donna Summer's slinky, throaty incantation, "Love to Love You, Baby," to Rod Stewart's "Tonight's the Night.'' sexy, suggestive songs have given shape to this year's pop music output, top-ping the charts and putting in master the sensuous grunt.

"Maybe this is the year of the emergence of the sexy singer," says deejay "Dr. John" at KHJ, an immensely comes to writing songs, what is there besides love, war and the human condition?

Love, war and the human condition. Sounds nice enough, even lofty. But ...
well, consider some of the
lyrics of "Disco Lady,"
Johnny Taylor's blockbuster disco disc that became the first single to reach platinum status (sales over three million) in the history of the re-

"Shove it in, pull it out,"
Taylor moans, "move it in,
move it out, Disco Lady."

A spot check of rock radio
stations around the country
showed that Taylor's song, in
spite of the earthy lyrics,
hadn't prompted many listener complaints and was on
most playlists.

MATURE

CAPITOL

"Would you believe," he asks cautiously, as if he knows no one will, "that sex

"Well," he adds with a laugh, "there might have been a little bit lurking around in the back of my

"But I saw a bad chick mentally out there on the dance floor, doing her thing. And I'm seeing such a fox, mentally in my mind, I picit in and movin' it out (mov-ing her pelvis up and back as in the popular disco dance, the bump). And this is basi-cally what was in my mind when I recorded the song."

Donna Summer isn't quite as shy about her music, which seems to be an out-front at-"Love to Love You, Baby," a moaning, pleading bit of vinyl sensuality soared to the top of the charts this year and Miss Summer is quite eager to talk

"I intended to make a sexy song," she says in the throaty voice that has made her the sense of just SEXY, but erotic. I mean, there are all levels of sexy. It could have been, 'Shake Your Booty.''

There's a lot of sounds that could be interpreted as intimate sounds, a lot of heavy breathing. I mean, she obviously wasn't baking a sweet

But stations that refused to But stations that refused to play the song were by far the minority. The music of Miss Summer and Johnny Taylor is "earthy and full of good, graphic metaphors," as one record executive put it. And in demand. Like most sexy music, theirs is tailormade for the disco epoch in which pop music now finds itself.

"The disco beat of Love to The disco beat of Love to Love You' is danceable, and that is the reason my music sells well," Miss' Summers says. "That and the fact it has a special atmosphere."

Rock singer Rod Stewart's music isn't exactly the disco beat, but atmosphere it has.

His "Tonight's the Night" is a sexy love ballad recounting a pair of lovers' first sexual encounter together, replete with sighs and groans. It is also the nation's top single, Stewart's first hit in a while.

plaining some problems his people use their own imagina-station — a member of the huge RKO broadcasting chain mean whatever they want

air, got some complaints, and pulled it. Then Warner reissued the record without that verse. It's very rare that an artist or record company will allow themselves to be cen-sored."

There are, of course, many fringe rock-punk groups to whom sex is a central theme. But these groups, The Tubes, Queen, The Runaways and the plethora of British groups, haven't quite mastered the technique of subtlety necessary to make it really big commercially. commercially.

moves of such groups are great on stage and win hard core fans, but it is hard to get airplay when you sing of the joys of sado-masochism. You need airplay

foreplay — to make a hit, and you need to sneak your sexy message past prudish programmers to get airplay.

"The entire record is ob-viously about, well, tonight's nations,' says Taylor. the night," Dr. John says, ex- "You're better off when the





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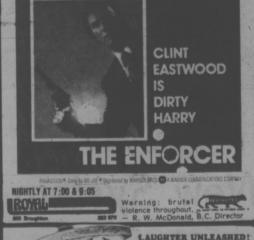
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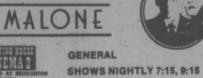
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### HANDICAPPED SWIMMING PROGRAM SET

A swimming program for artially and severely han-dicapped persons begins Sat-urday at Oak Bay Recreation Centre, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Lessons given by a physiotherapist assisted by two swim coach volunteers will be sponsored by Handicapped Action and are open to any persons with physical disabili ties interested in learning basic strokes for recreational or competitive swimming.

Further lessons will be given weekly at the same



# Stability Need Seen Reason for B.C. Crime Drop

general pattern of crime in British Columbia last year, showed a downward swing, John Hogarth. B.C. police commission chairman, said

He said detailed statistics would be released at the end of the month but it appeared "people, today, are more interested in looking for stability and the 1976 crime rate figures show this."

Hogarth, speaking in an in-terview, said there were en-

couraging signs but figures in B.C. still are too high and the province still has the highest crime rate for any Canadian

He said a general stabiliza-tion trend in peoples' lives has accompanied a slowdown in the population growth rate which, because of the post-war baby boom, had ap-tificially inflated crime figtificially inflated crime fig-

"People are not moving as quickly as they used to, they are hanging on to their jobs

beyond their means so much," said Hogarth.

Last year 100 crime preven Last year 100 crime preven-tion programs were launched throughout the province and those operating for the longest period resulted in the greatest crime rate reductions, he sald, making special note of programs involving restitution through community work.

Hogarth said addition of 500 new officers in B.C. during the last three years has re-sulted in cases being expedithas been a 50-per-cent in-crease in the number of juve-nile offenders handled outside the courts...

"Police officers sometimes feel the court system is inade-quate and they prefer to deal with young offenders them-selves through community reparation schemes — the numbers have risen to 9,000 from 6,000," he said.

"The programs cost so little to run and the benefits are tremendous but it is some-

Hogarth also said the con mission will spend \$10,000 this year on a new film about rape. The film will be shown in schools and other public buildings with the hope of encouraging more victims to re-port the crime.

The number of rapes in 1976 in B.C. to November declined by three per cent, but Hogarth said only about five per cent of the rapes committed each year are reported to po-

chairman said one purpose of the film will be to expose some myths about lack of consideration for rape victims in the court system.

in the court system.

"Victims can report rapes without fearing that their public lives will be affected," he said. "They can simply report the crime and receive counselling, or just report the facts of the case without divulging their identity."

# Alcan Fires Employee Over Kitimat Wildcat

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### NOTICE LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

A Court of Revision on Local Improvements will sit at the City Hall, Centennial Square, Victoria, B.C., on Wednesday, the 19th day of January, 1977, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to hear appeals against frontagetax assessments for Local Improvements.

Persons wishing to appeal to the Court, must give notice to the Assessor, at least forty-eight hours prior to the M. A. SHELDRICK

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January 4, 1977

### MANUFACTURERS EYE NO-CAVITY CANDY

Elderly Need

\$654 a Month

TORONTO (CP) — Xylitol, a sweetener which some researchers say does not cause tooth decay and may clear to cause tooth decay and may first the researchers. clear up cavities, might be adopted by most Canadian candy manufacturers, an in-dustry spokesman said Mon-

confectionery industry could switch to xylitol if it's ap-proved," said Russell Pierce, president of Life Savers Ltd. and head of the Confectionery Association of Canada.

Whether xylitol will be al-lowed in Canada will be decided this month, a spokes-

between \$654 and \$695 a

month to live decently, says

living alone in their own home at \$7,849 a year. Those rent-

The guide, prepared after two years of study, was fin-anced by the federal depart-

determining employee pen-

ment of health and welfare. "It is not a policy docu-ment, but a planning tool,"

accommodation need

who have tested the deriva-tive of birch tree cellulose, say it stops tooth decay, does not cause tooth decay and may also clear up developing

of preventive medicine at the University of Toronto, said that while xylitol does not cause decay, the Finnish data is too flimsy to support the contention that it cures cavi-

KITIMAT (CP) — Allyster Norman, a 24-year-old ingot finisher, Monday became the first Aluminum Co. of Canada employee to be fired as a result of an 18-day wildcat strike at the company's smelter here last June.

Norman was dismissed for refusing to comply with two regulations imposed by the Labor Relations Board (LRB). on 30 strike ringleaders.

The board ruled that those, members of the Canadian Association of Smelter and Allied Workers must pay Alcan 10 days' wages and guarantee repayment of loans received from the union while they were under suspension, or face company discipline.

Eighteen workers accepted the LRB penalty, and 11 others quit, but Norman re-jected the terms without of fering to quit.

"I'm young and not tied by any family obligations, so I guess I can afford the luxury of standing up for my princi-ples." Norman said Monday In an interview. "It was a matter of pride."

he said. "Returning to work under those conditions would put a collar around my neck and a yoke on my shoulders that I could not live with,"

Norman, a shop steward, said he believes the LRB decision supports "an act of vengeance" being carried out by Alcan, which has filed a \$1.3 million damage suit against CASAW and three union leadderly couple in Toronto needs cies and individuals concerned with the welfare of senior citizens."

Sample monthly budgets for

the Social Planning Council of
Metropolitan Toronto.

The council, in a 127-page
budget guide for the elderly
released Monday, estimates
total expenses for a couple
lying alone in their own home.

For a couple renting accomplements of the council establishment of the council establishment of the council establishment. ing by my firing except the satisfaction that they gof this man down, or if I had acceptrodation, the council estimates monthly costs at \$158.10 for food with some meals away from home, \$204 for shelter and \$38 for public ed the agreement, they got this man down on his knees for his job because I would be working for 10 days free," he said, "I don't think any jo b is transportation.

Both budgets also include monthly expenses of \$16.33 for television and radio: \$17.53 for admissions, memberships worth that.'

A recent graduate in politi-cal science from the University of Victoria, Norman was a probationary employee at the time of the strike, over Antiand hobbies; \$11.41 for gifts and contributions; a \$20 con-tingency fund; \$38.26 for clothing; \$35.67 for vacations and travel and \$24.78 for to-Inflation Board wag'e in

# Is One Too Many

Two Thefts

charged to Burnaby men with breaking, entering and theft Monday after the pair reported the theft of a television set.

RCMP arrested complainants Mike Forristal, 22, and Keith Dale, 20, after the two reported the theft of a televiments: Both live in the same

Police recovered the set 30 minutes after its disappearance was reported, but discovered an identification tag on it showing the set was not the property of the complain-

ments then discovered about \$10,000 worth of stolen proper-ty, including furniture, rugs

### **Body Found**

SQUAMISH (CP) - The SQUAMISH (CP) — The body of Donald Buckmaster, 27, of Squamish was recovered with the aid of RCMP tracking dogs Monday after the man was reported missing on a fishing trip Sunday. Police said Buckmaster apparently fell 250 feet down an embankment bordering Ashlu Creek, about 26 miles northwest if here. **ACADEMY PAYS** \$7,000 OF TAX

The Victoria Riding Aca- wanted by other private or demy has paid the \$7,000 it owes to Oak Bay in 1976 taxes but still must find another \$800 to meet interest costs.

Mrs. C. Y. Spratt, of the academy's management committee, said Monday the committee gave a \$5,000 cheque to owners Don and Aileen Carley on Dec. 31, the deadline for payment.

The money was raised through donations; a walkath-

on, a rummage sale and other

her husband had raised the other \$2,000 and are determined to find the remaining

The committee had tried to persuade council not to levy

taxes on the municipally-owned land.
On Dec. 6, however, the council voted unanimously against allowing the academy tax-free status.

The committee contends the academy, continually on financially shaky ground, is worth saving as a rare recreational asset.

But aldermen contended if the academy is given tax-free status the same break will be

### TOOTHACHE?

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Advertisement

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# Subway Victim's Pleas Unheeded

"It is designed to be a use- bacco and alcohol.

employee who ignored a pas- a corner during the ride to the employee who ignored a passenger's plea for help after an attack in one of its subway cars Sunday and got the train to move out of the station may have been negligent, commission chairman Gordon Hurburt said Monday.

The communication of the station of the stat

leg injuries after attempting his face.' to help two Pakistani men being assaulted by five or six

one of the youths turned on the nearest station and re-him, beat him and threw him on to the station platform. "

the nearest station and re-main there until police arrive in the event of an emergency.

Toronto Transit Commission train and huddled bleeding in

may have been negligent, commission schairman Gordon
Huriburt said Monday.

James Carson, 6l, said he suffered a broken nose and interview. "But he had this frightened, paralysed look on

youths on the car of a train stopped at the Rosedale sta-

tal for treatment. fice, said that 30 passengers tions require subway crew watched but did nothing while members to take the train to

# Dec. 31st Winning Numbers

winning numbers 2670092 4 6 9 8 7 2 0

**\$1 MILLION** \$250,000. winning numbers 3 3 9 5 9 2 2

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The following are examples of the amount of interest allowed on payments made January 4, 1977— Amount of Prepayment Interest Allowed

Prepayments of not less than \$5.00 may be made between January 4 and April 30, 1977 and interest on payments made during this period will be calculated from the date of payment to June 30 at the rate of 8% per annum. Further information can be obtained by telephoning the Tax Department at 386-2241, Local 233.

> K. W. Middleton; Collector.

# 'Bed Squad' Keeps Close Check On Ads for Consumers in B.C.

VANCOUVER (CP) — A Trade Practices Act. They monitor it on radio, television and in newspapers.

The Bed Squad, operated tightly-knit group of anony-mous invalids in an unnamed hospital is policing a multi-million dollar industry on be-half of British Columbia con-They are called the Bed

Squad.
Their job is to fight bad advertising, armed with the dison, says the team is made

MINNEAPOLIS (AP)

That's a first-person description of what it's like to contact the disease which in-

flicts temporary paralysis, wrote Anthony, a staff writer, in Monday's Minneapolis Tri-

bune.

Guillain-Barre syndrome is the disease which was blamed for triggering a shutdown of the U.S. swine flu vaccination

program last month.

Anthony wrote that at North
Memorial Hospital in Robinsdale he had trouble walking
across the examining room
and the next day his voice

construction projects in Sas-

katoon and one in nearby Big-

gar are being picketed today

under the ministry of con-sumer and corporate affairs, has been active for two years. The liaison officer with the department and the squad's official contact, Harry Ad-

THE BODY SEEMS

TO BE GIVING UP'

"The body seems to be giving up... some kind of battle seems to have been lost in a matter of days."

There's a tingle in the fingers and weakness in the legs, a loss of sensation.

Within three days "I remember not being able to cut the meat on my plate."

That's a first-person de
cept what would happen and to at least reassure myself that the doctors must be right; in almost all cases Guillain-Barre cures itself."

He said he had almost no memory of the first four days in hospital including a trachectomy operation on the fourth night.

The doctors' term "flat effect," meaning very little on the doctors' term "flat effect," meaning very little on the doctors and the past five years: What do you do when you can't move you to when you can't move you do when you can't move you to when you can't move you do when you can't move you to when you can'

meaning the patient smiles through his pain.

a day, respirators to keep one breathing, nurses to, bathe and turn the body every two hours, plus all manner of feeding devices including in-travenous tubes through the notrils and gastrostomies di-rectory, through the stowach

Sask. Builders Walk Out

tion by contractors of a feder-al Anti-Inflation Board deci-

fect," meaning very little emotional response, is entered every day very much on its in the record several times.

Also "belle indifference" think ahead.

meaning the meaning

Anthony spent nine weeks in intensive care, describing it as "the modern hospital's Las Vegas, bright lights 24 hours a day, respirators to keep one headling, pursues to bathe," and the describing the spent of the spent him to the spent him to

rived, and walked with the air of canes. After that came 3½

months of exercising at home.
"But it all came back, both sensation and function, as the doctors call it. The numbress left my feet only about two

years ago and now the whole

would be held later, likely this week, with union mem-bers in Prince Albert. The union has said the Anti-

Inflation Board's decision to allow an average wage in-crease of 11.5 per cent should be retroactive to April 1, 1976. The Saskatchewan Construc-tion Labor Relations Council,

representing the employers, decided the increase would be retroactive only to Oct. 1.

men, who through injury or other disability are commit-ted to longterm, possibly permanent stays in hospital.

Their identity is kept secret because the department says publicity might blunt their effectiveness. They are from 28 to 39 years of age.

They work from 20 to 40.

They not only check for misleading advertising, but for news and feature stories dealing with consumer af-

remaining squad

reading 10 daily newspapers.

Mr. Addison said the group is close-knit because the five have to work together. Someone who doesn't have the use of hands will do the monitor-"Although these people may spend the rest of their lives in

hospital, they're bright .... they know more about the work-a-day world and more of The entire body simply seems the point where, at its extense is morning for a to surrender when afflicted with Guillain-Barre syndrome, says Michael Anthony who contacted the disease in 1971.

The point where, at its extense is morning for a steak and a malted milk, and they would have given it to the idea of the disease, to accept what would happen and the properly.

The body seems to be given the point where, at its extense is morning for a steak and a malted milk, and they would have given it to me if I could have swallowed properly.

The active body seems to be given to be given it is a steak and a malted milk, and they would have given it to me if I could have given it what's in the newspaper than most newspaper men," said Mr. Addison in an interview.

'One of them is the "This works as therapy for them as well."

"One of them is the damnest guy you've ever seen. I've seen him watching TV, listening to the radio with an earphone and reading a paper, all at the same time. They a have very sharp minds."

"This works as therapy for them as well."

manufacturer's suggested list price if the item never sells for the higher price.

No advertisement should create the impression that a consumer will obtain something free when, in fact, the free item or service has already been built into the inlitial purchase price.

memory of the first four days in hospital including a trachectomy operation on the fourth night.

The doctors' term "flat effect," meaning very little "Bear in mind Dosto to ye v s k y's dictum: "The doctors' term "flat effect," meaning very little "Anthony sold to ye v s k y's dictum: "The human being is the animal that can get used to anything."

Anthony said you take every day very much on its own terms and try not to think ahead.

He wrote that his weight dropped from 160 pounds to 102 pounds.

"This works as therapy for them as well."

Mr. Addison said Rafe Mair, minister of consumer and corporate affairs, visited the squad recently and "ended up staying for over an hour—they just kept bouncing questions off him."

A member of the squad, Joyce, said it is important for

A member of the squad, Joyce, said it is important for the group to work as a unit without interference.

"We don't act separately.
This is a project and we work

as a whole."

Under the Trade Practices
Act, any advertisement that
has the "capability, tendency
or effect of misleading or de-(ceiving a person") is outlawed.
That language, designed toprovide blanket coverage
against the unscrupulous advertiser, forms the frame-

clippings of questionable advertisements—35 in November, plus 45 consumeroriented stories—and its log of radio and television checks to Mr. Addison for further inves-If an advertisement is misleading, the department will notify the advertiser and the

media outlet and suggest they review their policy.

Mr. Addison, said the de-partment prefers that the advertiser comply voluntarily with official guidelines. But if

there are repeat offences, the

matter may be refereed to the trade practices branch for possible legal action.

He said although the department's advertising guidelines came out only a month ago, there has been a "fantastic reaction" from advertisers, particularly in the Victoria area. hours a week and are paid be-tween \$3 and \$4 an hour, mon-itoring three television sta-tions, eight radio stations and

> speaking to business groups (in Victoria) about the guide-lines," he said. "We haven't been too hard on them yet, but they've now had over a month to adjust to the guides, so now we'll see what they want to do."
> The guidelines are broken down into five sections, beginning with devious price claims.

The act requires that as much prominence be given to the total price payable as to any portion or instalment.

There must be a basis for comparison—an appliance cannot be offered at less than

tial purchase price.

Advertisers must watch their use of expressions such as 'prices massacred' or ''drastic reductions' or 'biggest or best.'' Sales should last no longer

than 30 to 60 days. Some stores have year-round sales and prices are misleading, said Mr. Addison.

Stores which boast savings of 30 to 60 per cent should have a reasonable number of items in the 60-per-cent-off category. Also the entire range of savings should not be listed as "up to" 60 per cent

In the area of product In the area of product claims, the guidelines expli-citly say the claim must be accurate ("top quality beef" must be Grade A) and that someone endorsing a product must actually use it.

Credit terms in advertising must be fully disclosed under the Consumer Protection Act. All ads must be viewed in though each section may be true, the ad as a whole might give a misleading impression.

**COLD SORES?** 

Anbesol. Cools, soothes, helps prevent infection and promotes rapid healing.

HOTELS 'NORMAL'

MIAMA BEACH, Fla. (AP) to us." Herbert Schiffman,

While a union official acpresident of the union said. cused eight hotels here affected by strikes of refusing to bargain in good faith, a hotel spokesman said that despite the 11-day walkout operations are basically back to normal. "They are evasive, ambig-uous, and uncommunicative

He told a news conference that the hotels have refused to make counter-offers and he said the pickets would stay at the Doral Country Club, Doral Beach, Deauville, Eden Roc, Carillon, Shelborne, Four Ambassadors and Dupont



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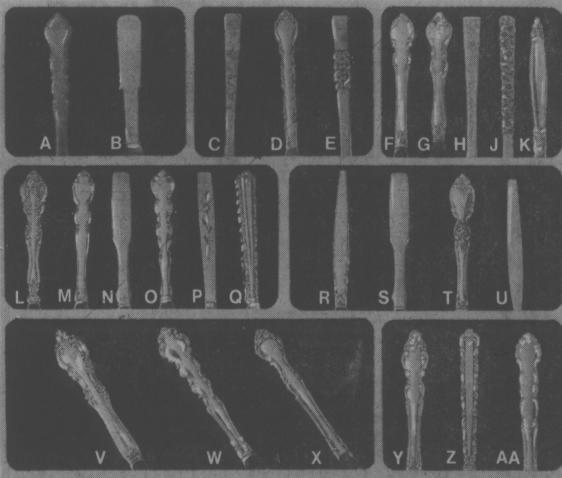
Major Saskatoon projects

Al Neumann, business agent for the union's Saskatoon city police station, a new wing at University Hospital, a psylocal, said other trade unions

local, said other trade unions at the construction sites are honoring the picket lines, set characteristic centre for the criminally insane and a shopping centre.

# **Oneida And Heritage 20-Piece Flatware Sets**





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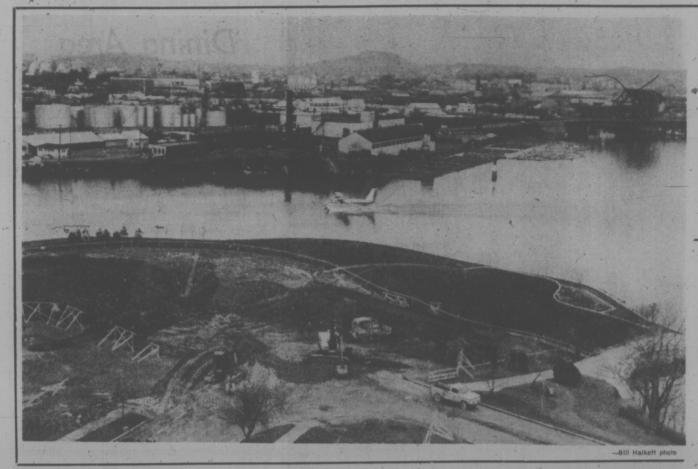
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124.80



# Convict Cash Does the Job For Tricia

Times Staff

Four-year-old Tricia Stephen, partly blind and crippled from birth, finally has her own wheelchair.

wheelchairs, an expandable-Invacare model — and had enough left over to present the child's mother. Diane, of 3229 Lodnel with a cheque for Early this year new television transmitters are expected to go into operation at Gold River, Tahsis, Woss Camp, Port McNeill, Nímpkish, Port Alice, Port Hardy, Alert Bay, Holberg

n Head program Mike Bennett said

## Firemen To Talk Wednesday

scheduled Wednesday by pro-vincial mediator Clark Gilmour to try to settle the wage

dispute between the city of Victoria and its firefighters.

After a three-hour meeting Monday, firefighters union president Ross Cameron said the union presented its into the death of his wife in Esquite the death of his wife in Esquite the union presented its into the death of his wife in Esquite the union presented its into the death of his wife in Esquite the union presented its into the death of his wife in Esquite the union presented its into the death of his wife in Esquite the union presented its into the death of his wife in Esquite the lamily situation.

Nicholet was convicted early last year for many slaughter in connection with the death of his wife in Esquite the lamily situation. the union presented its interpretation of an amendment to the Anti-Inflation Board guidelines.

the death of his wife in Eagle malt and had been sentenced to eight years.

He has now been transferred to the minimum securifierred to the minimum secu

none of the city's negotiators had even seen the amendment in question. But they were apparently going to study it and the wheelchair means 'Tricia' give their reaction to Gilmour .

oday the project was the idea of two inmates, Ed Nicholet and Ken Berryman.

The project started in early September and was just get-ting under way when the B.C. The cerebral palsy victim has the inmates at William Head federal prison to thank a cidents and riots.

Head federal prison to thank of cidents and riots.

The inmates donated \$213 of their, own funds, raised \$87 in contributions—from—William Head staff and parole officers and got another \$249 from the community with the aid of the Victoria Lifeline group.

With the money—\$549—they bought the latest in wheelchairs, an expandable of the victoria Lifeline group.

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He said the donations came from the daily allowance each inmate receives from the fed-eral solicitor-general's depart-The allowances range from

75 cents to \$1.50 a day for purchase of cigarettes, confection and toilet items from the prison canteen.

The wheelchair and cheque

were presented at a social evening at Trinity Church Dec. 16. Bennett said Mrs. Stephen had not been told of the pre-sentation and was "overcome with emotion.

'I'd been told Tricia was invited to a children's Christ-mas party," Mrs. Stephen said today, "But she wound up the guest of honor."

Bennett said Nicholet had once driven a bus for the G. R. Pearkes Clinic and knew of

ty institution at Fernwood on the Lower Mainland. Mrs. Stephen praised the in-

A movie camera chased a in preparation of more rigid mobile home over miles of interior highways last fall to help draw up new wide load regulations that became effectively.

The truck-mounted camera normally used for obtaining is  $8^{1/2}$  feet and any vehicle or



PETCH reluctantly

### Fee Hikes Coming At UVic

'Fairly substantial' fee intember at the University of

President Dr. Howard Petch said Monday programs that 'need more faculty, higher salaries and provincial

ment grants are announced in March.

winter session. Fees were last raised in 1965.

Petch said the university is reluctant to raise fees, but also doesn't want to lay off

111/2 feet.

# Hotel Work Starts

the top floor of the Laurel Point condominium. heavy

he a vy earth-moving equipment looks like children's toys in a sand pit.

The bulldozers were back on the site this morning, as preliminary work started on construction of the hotel second phase of the dealers. ond phase of the develop-

Much smaller than the 199-room structure origiwill have 127 rooms and convention facilities for about 175 people. It will be four storeys high - only half the eight of the earlier proposal.

Completion date for the

Completion date for the project is the summer of 1978, and the hotel will be operated by the B.C. chair Delta Hotels Ltd.

Already built under the first phase are 120 con-dominiums and seven luxers are Canadian Free-hold Properties Ltd.

A year ago the com-pany's president, John
D'Eath, said there was lit-tle chance that any hotel
would ever be built on

would ever be built on the site, unless there was an economic revival.

Three months later, however, Canadian Free-hold submitted revised plans for a scaled-down hotel.

# LIP Grants To Create 129 Jobs

By AL FORREST Times Staff

A total of 129 new jobs will be created as a result of new grants for the Esquimalt-Saanich constituency under the federal Local Initiatives Program, it was announced today.

A grant of \$360,000 will profor a major community project in the Tsartlip reserve. vide work for 86 persons in new projects while another 43 will be hired through supplementary grants to existing

The new projects, announced today by Esquimaltnounced today by Esquimalf-Saanich Conservative MP Don Munro, include a grant of \$50,830 to employ 12 people to construct a Long House on the Pauquachin Indian reserve on West Saanich Road. The predestroyed by fire.

Other new projects: A grant of \$11,730 to hire three people for a Native Community Development pro-gram of the Saanich Indian

A total of \$13,260 to hire three people for a mental health program at Cordova

A grant of \$28,730 to hire seven to prepare children's playgrounds on the Songhees reserve at Esquimalt.

Five people will be hired on a budget of \$19,890 to provide recreation services in Sidney and North Saanich in a joint project. A total of \$24,310 will em-

ploy six at an Indian Cultural Awareness education centre near Brentwood. A grant of \$33,150 will employ eight for landscaping and other work in the Songhees

reserve. Another \$13,260 will emplo three as counsellors for InA Sidney teen activity group will get \$17,680 to employ four

A St. Joseph's day care centre on Burnside will get a grant of \$28,730 to hire seven people.

A total of \$53,040 will hire 12

A total of \$10,540 will em-

ploy four to construct a model bikeway in Saanich.

Construction work on the Swan Lake-Christmas Hill nature project will employ six people on a budget of \$26,520. Earlier projects will be expanded with the additional

grants announced today. Bilston Creek flood control work will receive and \$11,000 to hire four people.

Arbutus Crafts will get an additional \$12,750 and hire three more people.

A Juan de Fuca park pro gram will get another \$17,680 and hire four more people? A Tsawout band project of

building and repairing houses will receive an additional \$24,990 and hire seven more. A Willis Point community project will hire three more and receive \$13,260.

and receive \$13,200.

A Piers Island (near Swartz Bay) project will get \$6,290 and will hire 10 people.

A Saanich Parks Department project will get another \$8,840 and hire two people.

A Capital Regional District. parks program will hire 10 on a grant of \$28,220.

# Fire Rips Saanich Residence

house at 2883½ Glenwood Monday night caused between \$15,000 to \$20,000 damage. Sagnich fire officials said

The fire, reported at 7:45 p.m. started under a child's bed in an upstairs bedroom of the house, rented by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lancaster.

Fire Chief Harold Gains and the bedroom of the house and the started by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lancaster.

said the blaze was discovered by Lancaster's six-year-old daughter, Tanya, just as the family was sitting down to

the girls and two other chil-dren outside then ran to a neighbor and phoned in the

the scene for nearly three

sively damaged by smoke

### Ship Movements OF TRANSPORT

Camsell and Racer in refit, Douglas in Strait of Georgia,
Vancouver in port; Ready in
Sand Heads patrol area,
Quadra on Station Papa,
Rider at Kitsilano.

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II and Richardson at Pat Bay

# Tax Sting Won't Hurt Too Much, Says Brice

Greater Victoria school board predicts a slight decrease in school taxes this year.

Wide Load Law Effective Today 1977 is an unusual year and any reduction should not be construed as a trend.

leated Lavinia Greenwood to replace Bill Ross as board chairman, said today local taxpayers "won"t be stung too week, and west-east two other days of the week. This applies badly this year."

She said taxpayers have in effect pre-paid \$2.2 million the amount declared surplus in the 1976 budget.

The smaller tax bite is also The previous limit on over-width vehicles and loads was 12½ feet, and this limitation normally used for ordinally engineering data for the high-ways department showed a 14-foot mobile home being wheeled through tight-corners, tough grades and over narrow bridges to assist on the use of pilot cars, markings, flags, lights and observing hours of travel.

due to "some rather signifi-cant cutbacks" in the 1977 provisional budget.



BRICE

But in 1978, taxpayers will be faced with the same costs

but no surplus.

Mrs. Brice said her primary goal as chairman will be to pull the board together, adding there is "some reality" in the talk about a split on the board.

stage for sound decisions," Mrs. Brice said. Gerry Kristianson was unan-

imously re-elected chairman of Saanich Peninsula school

Walter Tangye defeated Ru-bymay Parrott, a former chairman, for the vice-chair-

# Count the Sevens and Your Blessings

Times Staff

the Good Luck.

"It's 1977, right? And seven

"It's 1977, right? And seven is the luckiest number. This year we get two sevens, that's twice as lucky," he says.

"Okay, go ahead and laugh.

"Okay, go ahead and laugh."

"Unfortunately, in 1977 we are also entering the Year of the Snake year t

government, a record which may stand for all time. Possibly Louie has 1977 confused with 1978, which accord-

Many of the unmovable hol-

Iused with 1978, which according to the Chinese calendar is the Year of the Horse.

Otherwise, there are a few bright spots in the year ahead. It is not a Leap Year so there is one day fewer to work than in 1976. There is only one Friday the 13th all year (in May) compared with

There will be a holiday in February for the first time, the second Monday, which is to be known as Heritage Day and falls on Feb. 14. It is in honor of the declaration of the Maple Leaf flag Feb. 15, 1965.

Good Friday is not until days, which means another round of reshuffling of holidays.

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There will be a holiday in There will be a holiday in The will be

For example, Canada Day,
July 1, is a Friday as is Remembrance Day, Nov. 11.

There will be a holiday in
There will be first time,
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work than in 1976. There is only one Friday the 13th, all year (in May) compared with two in 1976.

Sood Friday is not until and the state of the st

# Ask the Times

round out the holiday season, there's one final gesture you can make in keeping with the Christmas spirit.

On Saturday, the trees will be mulched by Chuck DeLure of Mount View Tree Service. He will make a cash donation

for every tree mulched. This will be matched dollar for dollar

by the Mayfair merchants.

The combined amount will be donated to the Victoria

R. W. McGall, B.C. director for the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation since 1968, has been appointed manager of CBC operations for Victoria and Vancouver Island.

McGall asked for the job when the CBC applied for a Victoria television licence and will be in charge of developing a

These will carry local and network programs of CBUT Vancouver until the Victoria station starts operating.

Sailors ashore and affoat are getting a little extra education to help them handle drug and alcohol problems.

- Rear Admiral Andrew Collier, commander, maritime command Pacific, says the Base Alcohol Rehabilitation Pro-

In addition, personnel development days are held aboard naval vessels during which films and lectures are presented

Margaret Trudeau has a horsey rival on Vancouver Island, when it comes to punctual delivery of offspring during

Mrs. Mayo told Town Talk they are trying to come up with a name appropriate to such an unusual double.

Matthew Arnold coined the phrase "dreaming spires," but in the Times on New Year's Eve it was the caption writ-

er, not the spires, who was dreaming.

Our dawn picture of the city's skyline showed among other landmarks a church spire, which the caption identified

But a keen-eyed reader informs us the steeple is actually St. John's Chuhch, 1611 Quadra.

One thing people in Greater Victoria didn't do so well at last year was bleeding.

The local Red Cross held-its final series of clinics recently and the result: 1,049 donors in contrast to a target of 1,150. It

94 showing up, many of them tried and true veterans. What it all means is that in a community of close to 250,000,

First clinic of the new year is at Sidney's Sanscha Hall

was that way all year, with a total of 14,000 donors needed and

we can't produce the one person in 18 to meet the needs of our local hospitals. Blood has to be brought in from donors elsewhere in B.C.

\* \* \*

Ares, an undiscovered and starving local rock group, put on a New Year's Eve bash at the Quadra Rec Centre. It was the band's first performance in front of "real peo," and the crowd of 160 loved it, dancing until 3:30 a.m. Band members Ross Speller, Nigel Slater, Mike Brumm well. Bill Waldron and mascot Rex, an evil-tooking teddy bear, said they were pleased with the evening's success,

\* \* \*

as that of the Metropolitan United Church:

The Mayos' farm is at Paldi, a small community between

Sharita K, a five-year-old thoroughbred mare owned by

ders Rajindi and Joan Mayo, presented them with a filly on New Year's Day — for the second consecutive year.

Last year the filly was born at around 10 p.m., this year

gram on drugs and alcohol was reinstituted last summer.

Multiple Sclerosis Society

new television station here.

on the subject.

All this week up to Saturday, Mayfair will collect discarded Christmas trees in the south end of the east parking lo

despite their profit -- \$4.

it has taken a jury to reach a rape. verdict in Victoria? R.S. Q. Q. Would you please explain Wordplay''? C.W.M. "Wordplay"? C.W.M.
A. This is a syndicated fea-A. The longest-deliberating

jury in recent memory reached its verdict Feb. 10, 1976, after spending 13 hours and 45 minutes in actual de-liberation, starting in the af-ternoon and concluding in the evening of the following day.

The case involved Reme Are word in question.

By AL FORREST

Louie the oddsmaker says we have entered the Year of

have to wait for another year be downright unpleasant.

land by five points over Minnesota in the Super Bowl, Jim Campbell is 2 to 5 to beat anyone for chairman of the Capital Regional District) says he knows about things like luck. Unfortunately, in 1977 we are also entering the Year of

as mildly unfavorable months but history has shown them to be downright unpleasant.

For example, 1929 brought in a Year of the Snake and contains were so red up they didn't want either one to win. The result was the

### Ask Jennifer

# **Exercise No Effort** While Taking It Easy

If you can't be bothered exercising in this busy season,

### Family MD Off Pedestal

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, Man. (CP) — Dr. Ronald Rae, president of the College of Family Physicians of Cana-da, says patients no longer place their doctors on an

imaginary pedestal.

Dr. Rae said not so long ago, patients who were visit-

ago, patients who were visiting their family physician felt almost as though "they were in the presence of royalty."

Sometimes patients who had a question were afraid to ask it and they left the doctor's office understanding neither the diagnosis nor treatment.

"But the trend is changing," said Dr. Rae, who has been practising medicine in this western Manitoba city of 13,000 population for the last 20 years.
"The image of doctors is not what it used to be."

better than nothing.

Dear Jennifer: Are there exercises that can be done without having to change into special clothes and that don't require much space? I have a tiny apartment and I can't be bothered moving (until the control of bothered moving furniture to find a spot to lie down! — Do 10 of these.

Purse lips, pour as far as

Some of the best exercises to do sitting down are those to rest, relax and tone the facial muscles, firm the bust and tighten the thigh and calf

Next, gently tap thumbs on the corner of the eyes 20 times. Remove your hands and wink first the right eye, then the left — slowly — 10

line: Place your palms at the nape of the neck to support the neck as you tilt your head back. Drop jaw. Completely relax with mouth open. Now bring the back teeth together

Purse lips, pushing the lips out as far as you can. Hold to the count of three, release and repeat 10 times. Now alternate the clenched back teeth exercise with the

pursed lips exercise. Do one of each to a count of 10.

muscles.

Here are a few to try:

Resting the eyes: Place thumbs at the corners of the eyes with the fingers resting lightly on the head. Close eyes. Now gently pull eyes up at the corners with thumbs and flutter eyelids 20 times.

Of each to a count of 10.

Bust exercise: Tone the bust by grasping the forearms with the opposite hands and pushing the elbows together as hard as you can. If you are doing it properly, you'll feel a pull in the uscles at the sides of the breasts.

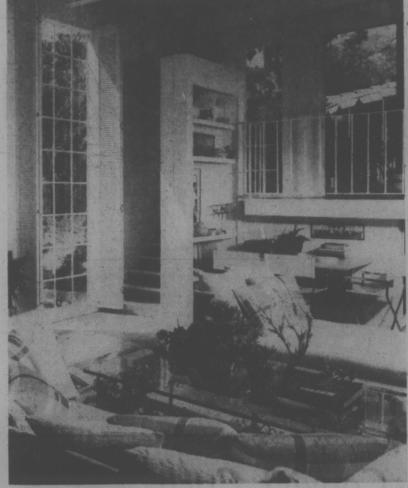
Next. gently tan thumbs on

of the breasts.

Leg exercise: Sitting erect on a chair, stretch your legs straight out in front of you, level with the seat of the chair. Alternately push heels out and then point toes. Do this 20 times.

In the same position, describe large circles with the feet by rotating the ankles. Do each leg separately 10 times and both legs together

Do each leg separately 10 times and both legs together 10 times.



Feeling of space stressed by furniture



### dear abby

## Cold Neighbors

DEAR ABBY: After running a small, clean, home-owned grocery store for 36 years, I am going out of business. The wife and I worked hard—sometimes 15 hours a day, seven days a week—but with the large chain super-markets moving in all around, we couldn't survive.

We gave people credit when things were rough. Why not? They were our neighbors, our friends. We cashed their checks and never turned any-body down when they came around with tickets for raf-less church supers school fles, church suppers, school-plays, etc. We gave to all the worthy causes and even placed their posters in our store to advertise fund-raising events. (No supermarkets around here did that. Against company rules!)

We've opened our store after hours to accommodate people, yet those same people

OAK BAY

Maybe a reader who has gone through the same thing They didn't even bother to compare our prices or give us a chance to compete.

So we're going out of business. Abby, please print this so people will realize that the home-owned businesses can't survive unless people give them a break.—SAD

DEAR SAD: It's sad indeed. I'm running your letter for all the honest, hard-work-ing little people who deserve a break. I hope it helps.

DEAR, ABBY: I need help and don't know where to turn

been separated for over two years, and I still love him, but there is no chance of our get-

ting back together again.

Abby, how do you stop loving somebody? I've been going to group therapy meetings, but it has not helped to after hours to accommodate people, yet those same people would drive right by our store to patronize the big markets because they thought they

can give me some sugges-tions.—ACHING HEART DEAR ACHING: You can't "kill" love. It has to die by it-self. Don't dwell on thoughts

of him and throw out all the reminders and souvenirs. Force yourself to think of something else. Keep busy, and don't feel sorry for your-

self. Tell yourself you deserve to be happy, and eventually you will be. Good luck. DEAR ABBY: I wrote a letter to you one night, com-plaining that my husband gets moody and won't talk to me.

We have a beautiful marriage except when my husband won't answer my simplest questions, such as: "How's the weather outside?" "How's

the weather outside?" "How's the car running?"
Well, I left that letter unsealed on my dresser and fell asleep before I put it away. The next day my husband said, "I read that letter you wrote to Abby." And ever since then, I haven't been able to shut him up!
You might tell your readers that if they want to get a message to their spouse, they should write you a letter and

should write you a letter and let if lay around unsealed. (P.S. 16 do not recommend this to women with violent husbands)

Thanks for the use of your important name. J. P.
DEAR J. P.: You are wel-

# Dining Area In a Capsule

By PAULINE GRAVES

Even when your home or apartment is small, if there

Take the small home shown and easy to adapt. here, decorated by Stephen Chase, A.I.D. The owners wanted a dining area, and even though it had to be part of the living room, they want-To give it a sense of seclusion, a tall bookcase was installed beside the steps, its back to the steps and the windows virtical lines, and their spare architectural looks seem to take less space than would soft, full draperies.

This not only defines the din-ing area, but provides a wall really want, you usually can work them in somehow. It takes a bit of doing and ingenuity, but if the effort achieves your objectives, why not?

Take the small home shown

other nice things about this attractive home are the tall windows and the high cellings, space makers both of them. The celling is a normal ed it as separate as possible.

The entrance, on an upper level, descends eight steps to the living room. Of necessity, the dining area had to be at one end, close to the kitchen.

The office of section of section and the ball-cony entrance, and although the floor level drops down, the ceiling remains constant.

Louvred shutters emphasize the windows' virtical lines, and their space architectural and their space architectural.

### FREE FOR THE ASKING

By HARRIET HART

More and more Canadians are visiting Mexico, but many may not realize that Mexico City is the world's sixth largest city. I will only mention some of the basic literature from the wealth available for

from the wealth available for would-be tourists.

The very attractive Mexico Travel Handbook sketches the history of this South American country and outlines entry requirements. It also tells you about the country's climate, what to wear and how to get about. Don't overlook the calendar of Mexican fiestas. Irrespective of the time of year you visit Mexico, time of year you visit Mexico, you will probably want to sa-your the spirit of some of the country's unique celebrations.

of Mexico discuss what this metropolis has to offer tourists the year round.

For many visitors the ar cheology museums throughout Mexico will be of special in-terest. The folder also in-dicates where you can find other important museums and historical sites.

In addition to these and many other folders, you can ask for specific information sheets about business, retirement, fishing, hunting, camping and so on in Mexico.

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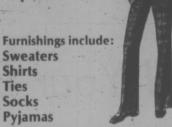
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# Solar Heating Pays Its Own Way

government agencies get the headlines every time they announce another improbably mega-buck "solution" to the "energy crisis." But so far

Jon Hammond was born 31 years ago in Richmond, Calif., and not long ago found himself with a bachelor's degree in landscape architecture, a master's in coolers.

THE MOTHER EARTH NEWS

calif., and not himself with a bachelor's uppered in landscape architecture, a master's in ecology, and working as a teaching fellow at the University of California at Davis. It was then, thanks to his degrees and his experience in his chosen fields, that the city of Davis asked Jon to help prepare an official energy conservation policy for the town.

Baer reported on several simple, low-cost solar systems simple, low-cost solar systems area.

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Calif., and no.

It was then to up to make their nome placed in shutters on the window.

And then we replaced the whole south side of the building with a drum wall."

(A "drum wall" is exactly what it says it is — a collection of water-filled barrels stacked up against the inside of a transparent wall with a movable shade on the outside.

The drum wall can efther disperse heat from the sun possible shade on the outside.

it's the little /guys who've been building the hardware that works.

Lee Hermond was boin 31

Energy Conservation: Proposed Energy Conservation and Solar Utilization Ordinance."

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move heat from the house outside, depending on the sea-son and the position of the shade.) All in all, the Hammonds spent approximately \$10,000 remodeling the frame house. Only a small portion of that amount was directly paid out for the solar heating system, however, since one of the main components — the barrels — was free. Jon estimates that his renovated dwelling now derives about 80 to 90 per cent of its winter heat from the sun.

That's not bad for a 1,2 square-foot house cost \$27,000. With gas, oil as

"We haven't run any really "We haven't run any really controlled tests on the place," he says, "but I can tell you this: two winters ago — before the conversion — we kept both a gas heater and a Franklin fireplace stoked up to maximum output all the time, and we never were comfortable. We just couldn't keep warm.

the remodeling and without the gas heater at all, we were wood in the Franklin. We hardly used the fireplace except for December and January and the last blaze we needed at all was on February 6."

Inspired by his success, Hammond let it be known that he was available to plan and-or construct other energy-conserving and sun-tempered buildings. It wasn't level for a Davis contractor and expects soon to be awarded HUD funding for the development of a couple of "low-cost, energy-conserving" in ome s that eventually will be greeted in Davis. And, during its spare time, Living Systems is doodling up a "partly underground, solar-heated" worken and cooled residence for a Davis contractor and expects soon to be awarded HUD funding for the development of a couple of "low-cost, energy-conserving" in ome s that eventually will be greeted in Davis. And, during its spare time, Living Systems is doodling up a "partly underground, solar-heated" worken and cooled residence for a Davis contractor and expects soon to be awarded HUD funding for the development of a couple of "low-cost, energy-conserving" in ome s that eventually will be greeted in Davis. And, during its spare time, Living Systems is doodling up a "partly underground, solar-heated" worken and couple of "low-cost, energy-conserving" in ome s that eventually will be greeted in Davis. And, during its spare time, Living Systems is doodling up a "partly underground, solar-heated" worken and cooled residence for a Davis contractor and except the supplier of the supplier of the couple of "low-cost, energy-conserving" in ome s that eventually will be greeted in Davis. And, during its spare time, Living Systems is doodling up a "partly underground, solar-heated" worken and couple of "low-cost, energy-conserving" in our sparent in the supplier of the couple of "low-cost, energy-conserving" in our sparent in the supplier of the

conserving and sun-tempered buildings. It wasn't long be-fore a Davis professor asked him to design a solar-heated and cooled house from the

"We used a modification of Harold Hay's Sky Therm on that one," Jon says. "The sys-tem is nothing but some big, main rooms.

water and are covered by thin sheets of plastic. They're eisheets of plastic. They've ether exposed to the sun and the outside atmosphere or protected from them by raising and lowering a large section of the building's roof like thinking that the answer is always more." a big lid.

that lid acts as a hug reflec-tor, to direct even more sun-

How well the Sky Therm ra-diates warmth into the rooms below during the cold weather

cent solar heated), but the system has already proven it can "air condition" the professor's house during the summer. At the end of a three-day spell of 105 degree F weather last July, the interior of the building registered a peak of only 74 degrees. Later in the season, two solid days of 112 degrees outside brought the inside temperature up to just 78 degrees.

square-foot house costing \$27,000. With gas, oil and other fuels now high and going higher, this residence will pay for itself in energy savings alone within a very

Jon currently operates a consulting firm, Living Systems, out of his home. One of the company's main projects at present is the design of a solar house for some folks in Chico, Calif. It's also planning a "mass production" sunheated and cooled residence for a Davis contractor and ex-

Living Systems has also been retained to do a version of the Davis ordinance for both Indio and Chico, Calif., and the company recently completed a most interesting study of a proposed nuclear installation for the city of Sameroccurrence.

"They want to spend one billon dollars putting that nuclear plant in," says Jon, "and they claim they've just got to have it. Yet our analysis shows that if we spend more energy conserving, we can save as much power as the plant will ever generate ... at a total cost of only half a billion! We've got to quit

indoor gardens

By LYNN and JOEL RAPP

to constrict toward the base of the leaf with the bottom leaves being most afflicted. I haven't over-watered it—more likely under-watered—but it still doesn't seem to be acting right. It has done this once before. Should I feed it or give it vitamins at this time? I'd hate to lose it, as it's really one of my very favorite plants.—D.W.

Dear D.W.: There's an old joke we can't help sharing in this situation: A man goes to a doctor and shows him a certain abnormal physical condition. "Remember, I had this condition once before?" asks the patient. "Yes." says the doctor, a "and guess what? You've got it again." Essentially, what we're saying is, if your plant has reacted in that manner-before (and seems to be healthy except for the dropy lower stems). Try to remember how you cured it then and repeat the treatment.

Generally, all peperomias

watermelon, variegated,
 emerald ripple, and so forth
 tend to lose their lower

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though over-watering is more often the cause. The soft, succulent nature of the stems seems to precipitate this condition, and the best and only remedy is to snip them off.

Come spring, the growing season, you may give your plant some food or vitamins,

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Dear Miss L.:

The greatest difficulty that is encountered is that there are so many different viruses that produce infections in the human. Several hundred different viruses are known to exist. There are probably hundreds more that have not yet been uncovered.

These are some of the diseases that are caused by viruses: Influenza, mumps, polio, hepatitis, chicken pox, measles, German measles, herpes, rabies, infectious mononucleosis and the common cold.

The effective vaccines that have been created for small-pox, measles, wumps, German measles, yellow fever, polio and influenza have given scientists great encouragement in the production of vaccines for almost every other virus that threatens man. Time, money and the training of scientists and research workers will guarantee the created for small-pox, measles, wumps, German measles, yellow fever, polio and influenza have given that the training of scientists great encouragement in the production of vaccines for almost every other virus that threatens man.

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By LESTER L. COLEMAN, ing down viruses and their variations, in the attempt to variations, in the attempt to create vaccine against virus disavaccine against virus disavaccin

mononceleosis and the common cold.

Some viruses are spread to man from animals. Most of the others are transmitted of such protection, because of neglect or sheer indifference.

reate vaccines that will totally obliterate the disease they create.

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are some off the symptoms. It is essential, after a complete eye examination, that bacteri-al cultures and smears be made in order to establish the

orrect diagnosis.

I recall a patient who had recurring infections in the eye. These were finally traced to the patient's eye drops, which were contaminated by the correct part of the patient's eye translated by the correct part of the patient's eye. which were contaminated by his own germs. Every time he used the drops he would reinfect himself. It is wise, after each infection, to discard both the medicine and the eye

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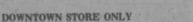
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# Lost Reverse—Captain

PHILADELPHIA (UPI) —
The captain of the tanker Olympic Games, which ran aground and spilled 133,500 gallons of oil in the Delaware River last week, says he lost reverse power during manoeuvres and drifted out of control.

The captain, Vassilios Vlismas, testified at a U.S. Coast Guard hearing Monday that a great amount of oil was sighted on the water while tugboats were working to stabilize the Liberian-registered tanker.

But he said he was not sure initially that the spill was coming from his ship, which was carrying 17 million gallons of light Arabian crude

oil. Minutes later, Vlismas and testified, his chief mate reported "big blobs of oil" in the water.

He said he then called his chief mate reported "big blobs of oil" in the water.

He said he then called his solief engineer to "to say maybe the ship has gone aground and also to stop the sanitary pumps."

Vlismas is free on \$50,000 bail on charges of violating ideal pollution laws. The accusations include not reporting the oil spill immediately.

The coaptain, testified the ship lost power astern and began shifting almost sideways to the solief.

Vlismas continues his testimony here today.

In New York, George Papadopoulos, the captain of the Liberian-registered tanker.

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But he said he was not sure of sediments from shorelines is being hampered by freezing temperatures and may continue for several weeks.

Cape Cod beaches were sent home Monday. Scientists say the Georges Bank fishing

grounds appear to have been spared serious harm.

The coast guard said arial surveillance of the spill will continue as it moves toward the Cult Stream

the Gulf Stream.

The oil was located about 80 miles southeast of Nantucket Island Monday. Much of it was caught in a huge eddy about 40 miles from the Gulf Stream officials said. If it Stream, officials said. If it reaches the Gulf Stream, the spill could be carried to Iceland and the British Isles

# FREIGHTER REPAIRED

the Argo Merchant spill far-ther out to sea, and cleanup crews mustered to protect to p an unscheduled anchorage in Royal Roads on Monday.
She was in the Neah Bay area of the Strait of Juan de Fuca late Sunday night when an unscheduled anchorage in Royal Ross was sent to the Liberian-registered vessel but shortly after the Queen Dome ton Centre spokesman said ton Centre spokesman said today there had been a com-

ship had been in need of help when the first message was. Royal Roads and today the Queen Dome Venture was tak-ing on her first cargo in Van-

# Hope for Argo Spill From Torrey Canyon

(The writer was The Washington Post's London correspondent during the period following the Torrey Canyon

By ALFRED FRIENDLY

There is nothing good to be said about a giant oil spill such as that last week from the Argo Merchant, shorted 25 miles off Nantucket. There is no silver lining to that greasy

'Yet with luck - if the offshore winds hold or with the expenditure of great amounts of money and labor if they do not, and particualry with the powers pf nature, the effects may not be nearly as disas-trous and long-lasting as is commonly feared.

The most hopeful expectation arises from the experience of the 118,000-ton tanker Cornwall at Easter, 1967. event would seem to have been potentially more disast trous than the wreck of the Argo: The Torrey Canyon carried four times as much oil as the Argo; even that portion that drifted ashore on the control of Cornwall and Brister of Cornwall and Bri coasts of Cornwall and Britanny was half again as large as the Argo's total cargo, almost all of which, so far, — keep your fingers crossed — has been blown to sea rather than shoreward. Furthermore, the oil now drifting in the Atlantic is undustrial fuel, less viscous and theoretically less toxic than that in the hannel approaches 10 years

Yet in the case of the Tor-rey Canyon the resultant envi-ronmental damage was, in relative terms, almost nil. At the time it was predicted that Carnwall would be ruined as ned out, not even the first furned out, not even the first tourist season after the catastrophe suffered seriously. Eighty to 90 per-cent of the damage to the great sandy beaches and lovely rocky coves was cleaned up in six weeks, the rest by the end of the season.

complished, to be sure, by a costly deployment of thousands of residents, fishermen sands of residents, instituted and army troops and tens of thousands of tons of detergents. For every three tons of il that hit the coast, two tons of detergents were used. On some beaches the sand was simply alwayed up and hauled simply clawed up and hauled away, but in most cases the beaches were plowed and harbeaches were plowed and har-rowed as the emulsifier was sprayed on and mixed in; with each ebb tide more and more of the horrible "choco-late mousse" went of to sea and less and less returned on the next flood.

the next flood.

Three years later, armed with a shovel and gloomy forebodings. I visited the scene. Aside from some black-brown stains on the rocks behind some beaches, no untoward residue whatever the state had been seen as the bed steered.

### Alternatives To Coffee Urged

TORONTO (CP) Barbara
Shand, Ontario president of the Consumers' Association of Canada, urged Canadians today to resist higher coffee prices by switching to less expensive beverages.

"Coffee has no nutritional" at ions of limpets were-gorging on the new young sprouts in four years and were keeping them down as before. In the judgement of the Plymouth laboratory: "Floating oil is not a serious hazard to marine life on the open sea, save in the case of birds."
Oil deposited on coast is, however, severely damaging to

"Coffee has no nutritional value and we can do without it," she said in reaction to reports from the United



Burning oil from U.S. tanker Torrey Canyon

The ecological effects were, of course, much graver, but even these were mercifully short-lived, and confined almost entirely to sea birds. Thousands died when the surface oil into which they swam or dived saturated their feathers. Most perished from the effect on their plumage and others were poisoned as they incested the oil in vain they ingested the oil in vain attempts at preening. At the time of my visit, the bird population had not veen totally restored, but British ornithologists were beginning to conclude that the loss was at clude that the loss was at-tributable less to the Torrey Canyon spillage than to a world-wide decline in many species, possible as a result of the increased use of pesticides.

Curiously and happily, the fisheries seemed not to have been injured at all. By the time the fishermen and lobster-men returned to the sea .— after two weeks of night-andday cleaning of the beaches—, they detected no diminution in their catches. For a while there was a taint in the unshed roe of the lobsters, but from the detergents, not the oil. Within two years, the fish catch was the largest on record, double the volume of five years before.

five years before.

Only a trained marine biologist, I was told by the head of the Plymouth laboratory of the Marine Biological Association of Great Britain, would have been able to detect any damage. No marine specie seems to have suffered permanently and no distortions or diminution of any marine population in the area could be found.

only temporary, was the kill-ing off of large numbers of limpets, whelks and periwinlimpets, whelks and periwin-kles, not by the oil but by the detergents. As a result, two or three varieties of noxious green seaweed on which the gastropods fed and thus kept suppressed began to cover the rocks. But even that umpleas-ant phenomenon was ended with the life cycles of those particular plants; new gener-ations of limpets were-gorging on the new young sprouts in

ever, severely damaging to coastal amenities and may af-

reports from the United States that supermarkets are urging their customers to boycott coffee in an attempt to bring down prices.

"Milk, tea, and even water, were found to recover comfect shore animals by suf-focating them.
"Nevertheless, we were sur-

pletely even after they had been left under an apparently continuous oil layer. Indeed, limpets have been observed grazing on rocks coated with weathered oil, ingesting it without noticeable harm."

The big argument in Britain and France following the successful coping with the Torrey Canyon aftermath had to do with the use of detergents, which seemed to have done whatever injury to sea life (except for the birds) that was encountered. Had they not been used, the ecological damage might have been somewhat less, but then the non-emulsified oil would have sunk a few inches under the sand only to appear again as the waves churned it up year after year, and Cornwall's tourist industry—its second largest source of income after china clay—would have been ruined for years.

If winds do not shift and the such exists a feet.

Perhaps so. But the much volume of that of the Argo Merchant and confined to the narrower waters at the mouth of the English Channel rather than in the broad Atlantic, and the such exists are considered.

cargo of the Argo Merchant ade ago.

the question of using deter-gents may never arise for New England. Nature's won-derful cleansing and restora-tive functions, through oxidization on the surface and bacterial action in the oil, should continue to operate. The remaining potential prob-lem will be globs of oil that

may sink to the bottom. If they do sink — and it is by no means certain that they will — American marine biologists nate fish eggs, larvae, shell fish and smaller organisms on the bottom on which fish

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# The Bridge Expert

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In today's deal we have, an example of confrontation between the "good" and the "very good". As can be expected, the "very good" emerged victorious. Sitting East and West, respectively, were the "very good": Joe Silver and Eric Kokish, of Montreal. North and South were Mr. X and Mr. Y, the "good." The hand arose in the Life Masters Pairs Championship of 1973. pionship of 1973.

> NORTH ♥ KQ73 ♦ 952

4984 WEST EAST ◆ K 5 ♥ 1096 ◆ A 10987 ♥ J82 ♦ J 10 4 ♦ A 7

**♣**QJ32

Pass Pass

10 Lethargic 11 Yachts 12 Medusa

15 On account

10 Give one the right to call

trance (5)
12 They secure some stock, not shares (5)

not shares (5)

14 Assume in pretence (5)

18 Kind of crust found only on
the best pies? (5)

19 Schoolboy's book case (7)

21 Right time to get something from the bank, if you
can (76)

22 Officer found on the staff

23 He acts in a refined way

can (7.6)

◆QJ4 ♥A54 ♦KQ6 ◆K1065 The bidding: North East South West Pass

SOUTH

Opening lead: Ten of ♥.

Both dummy and East stead of just two

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21 There and then

1 Countrywoman 2 Ice

CLUES

17 Pea 18 Alarm

19 Sober

3 Enmity

played low on the opening lead of the heart ten and South won the trick with his ace. The five of hearts was

ank of bridge player in American Contract Bridge League. As of 1976, there were approximately 21,000 Life Masters out of a membership of 200,000. All Life Masters are good players—but some of them are just "good," while others are "very good." In today's deal we have an example of confrontation between the "good" and the "very good" and the "very good." As can be expected, the "very good" emerged victorious. Sitting captured. West ace, after which a third spade was led, South's queen win-

was led, South's queen win-ning.
South now led his remaining heart, and when West fol-lowed with the six-spot, dummy's seven was inserted.
As is evident, East's eight
captured the trick. East now
cashed his two established
spades. With dummy's heart king being unreachable, de-clarer eventually incurred a

East-West's razzle-dazzle plays in the heart suit should plays in the heart suit should not have decieved declarer. When West put up the heart nine on the second heart lead, and East's jack fell, declarer assumed that West had started with the 10-9-8-6. But surely, with this combination, West would not have put up the nine for West knew that the nine, for West knew that East had the jack (that is, if South had the jack, he would have four heart tricks). Hence, declarer should not have finessed the board's se-ven-spot on the third heart lead. By playing hearts nor-mally, declarer would have made four heart tricks, in-

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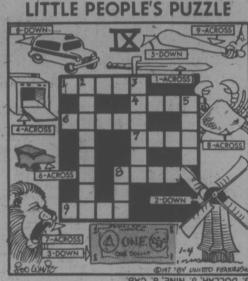
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SINGIN'? WE THOUGHT YOU WAS YELLIN' FOR HELP!"

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ANSWERS: Across-1. SWORD, 4. OVEN, 6. ANNUMILL, 7. LION, 8. CRAB, 9. CLUB. DOWR-2. WINDMILL, 7. LION, 8. CRAB, 9. CAB.

### YOUR HOROSCOPE

Astrological Firecast for Wednesday, January 5th By SIDNEY OMARR

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Lunar position, aspect coincide now with legal affairs, contractual commitments, partnership, proposals of mar-riage. If married, you could be "shopping" for home or business. Stick to facts; be aware of fine print. Become

Check written material. Be analytical. Refuse to accept superficial explanations. Full Moon position accents short trips, relatives, calls — some-one close to you confides digestive problem. Be sympa-thetic but eschew home reme-

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Highlight domestic adjust-ment which leads to tranquility at home. Taurus, Libra, Scorpio persons could be part Across

1 Concerning a kind of holiday place (6)

4 Keep the pot boiling (6)

9 He takes a stand on a particular case, so to speak (4-3,6)

Concerning a kind of holiday large for original film of your personal environment. Money, acquisitions figure prominently. You can be autify surroundings at reasonable cost — if you are a comparison shopper.

5 Where pedestrians may be in danger in attacks (7) CANCER (June 21-July 22): 11 Let in many in the en- 6 One's never the same after No need to be dejected — cycle is high and you land on your feet. Steer clear of 7 I tarry perhaps and discover a curiousity (6)

8 What the best man is expected to do? (5)

13 Not a straightforward job scheme which promises some-thing for nothing. Accent personality, appearance, per-sonal achievement. Pisces, Virgo individuals are likely to for woodworkers (7)

15 Prevent from making a play prominent roles.

LEO (July 23 - Aug. 22): 16 Custom-made sausages in part (5)
17 She's fairly feminine (6)
20 If they're 'false there's no stopping them (5) Emotions are intense — you tend now to act on impulse. Key is to examine various aspects of situation — bring forth light where previously only heat existed. Lunar aspects make this a time for effective representations. affection, romance, love.

> VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Friend who ponders rates, taxes, purchase price confides in you. Key is to give frank op in ion without signing papers or taking on another's financial obligation. Message will be clarified. Aries, Libra figure preminently. Loved one figure prominently. Loved one reassures you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Be direct, independent, original, express and create. Leo is in picture. Accent on achievement, career, promo-tion, dealings with one "in charge." Finances are involved. You have right to reasonable explanation of any change in procedure, cost, agreement.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Follow through on brunch— learn by teaching. Rise above petty details, jealousies. Aquarian figures prominently. Look beyond the immediate. Enlarge horizons. Learning

will be more secure through reading of special publica-

SAGITTARIUS 22-Dec. 21): Movement, involvement, expansion of interests — these are spotlighted. Gemini and another Sagittarian could play significant roles. You locate lost object, find ways of cutting expenses, make deal with partner or mate involving expenditures. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan

19): Go slow — time is on your side. Know it — refuse to be rushed into judgment. Important to read fine print — take nothing for granted. Play waiting game . . . be positive about your rights, legal and otherwise.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Be ready for change of scenery, for excitement of discovery, for good reading ma-terial, for inspiration which aids in getting your own thoughts on paper. Gemini, Virgo, Sagittarius persons are part of your personal scen-

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20); Change of attitude towards family member is indicated. You are more in tune with one who seemed ultra-conservative. You make progress towards ultimate

goal — a young person makes you happy. Creative abilities are utilized.

If Jan. 5 is your birthday you are inquisitive, a natural teacher, detective — you teacher, detective — you should try your hand at writing. You are serious, loyal, attractive to opposite sex. Ge-mini, Virgo, Sagittarius persons play important roles in your life. May will be your most significant month this year — a year during which you travel, socialize, expand

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By J. A. H. HUNTER

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DAD CORN

(Answer tomorrow) Yesterday's answer: Ron

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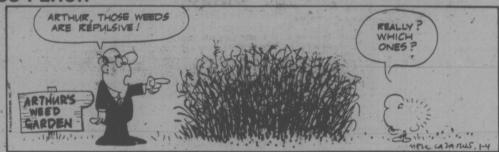


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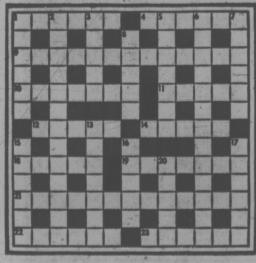


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The remark frequently heard likens the present weather to spring, and we could almost add late spring, since April is usually wet and

All of us know how plants respond to weather conditions and to the different seasons. We are now wondering what is likely to happen to our winter vegetables in weather comparable to spring.

Spring is the normal time-for winter vegetables to start new growth. Being biennial plants, this new growth pro-duces flowers and seeds. In some instances the chemical change which causes this growth makes the plants unfit Although we know this is a

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natural sequence that takes place every spring, we don't expect it to happen at the beginning of the year, yet it could if present conditions continue for another week or

Not that we can do anything to change the weather, nor do we wish it to change, but it would be wise to keep an eye on the winter food plants and see they are used rather than

When we recall that Jerusa-lem artichoke tubers are nor-mally planted in late Febru-ary to early March, we real-ize that those still in the ground at that time will also be making growth. Since this is a crop we cannot store in good condition for more than two weeks, the more we can two weeks, the more we can use the greater value we shall get-for our efforts in growing

Some gardeners still have rutabagas in the soil. When these continue growing beyond the 90 days required to reach maturity, the root becomes woody in texture and hot in flavor.

Fortunately these roots can be stored in dry sand, and it may pay to lift those remain-ing in the soll while still in

Kale plants which have been stripped of usable leaves can have the top rosette of young leaves cut off and used. This will encourage new side growths for use in February.

An experimental sowing of summer turnips (white) in summer turnips (white) in September to supply a quantity of new leaves for use as greens in spring, have not gone dormant as expected. While giving a good supply of greens now, the roots have proven most tasty, in fact, superior to those grown in the normal season. We are using them raw in salads and as a cooked vegetable.

Leeks are a winter crop

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and.

If the weather suddenly changes to a cold spell, lettuce, Swiss chard, spinach, corn salad and endive could be severely damaged. This is worth remembering so that losses are kept to a minimum. On the other hand, a change to cold weather will hold back the other winter vegetables and extend the time in which they will be usable.

All we can do is remember those vegetables we so carefully grew for winter, and use everything we possibly can while it is still in good condi-

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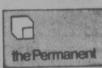
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# 'Ultraliberal' to Succeed UAW's Woodcock

Douglas Fraser, 60, vice-president of the United Auto Workrs; has been selected by his fellow officers to succeed Leonard Woodcock as pres-ident of the UAW, the largest and probably most influential union in the United States.

cock said all three "are not pressing their candidacies."
Woodcock did not formally woodcock did not formally endorse Fraser himself, but union sources said he held back only because he did not want to appear to be forcing the UAW to select Fraser, The union convention in May Woodcock, who is retiring, announced Monday that he had met with the top officers of the UAW during the holi-days, and that all of them had will formally select the new

president.

Fraser, who is in charge of the UAW's Chrysler division. decided to support Fraser. Three other vice-presidents almost became president of the union in 1970, when a successor was chosen for Walter & Reuther, longtime union president who was killed in a plane crash. But the executive board favored Weedeek ever Frager by a

Woodcock over Fraser by a vote of 13-12.

Like Woodcock, Fraser was a protege of Reuther's. In the Fraser beli

"untraliberal," and makes no bones about his progressive

Fraser came to the United States from Scotland as a 6-year-old. He went to work in a high school. He has become one the most articulate and highly-regarded labor feaders

Fraser believes that the

needs of workers cannot be met solely at the collective bargaining table. Comprehen-sive national health care, for

eral controls on gasoline prices while protecting con-sumers and independent

dealers against sharp changes later in market conditions.

Ford's proposal would take effect if neither House nor Senate reject it within 15 days

- a deadline falling just be-fore the Jan. 20 inauguration of President-elect Jimmy

The Ford plan appeared to face stiff opposition even before it was unveiled—likely today or Wednesday. But administration officials forecast

little if any price increases re-sulting, because supply has been exceeding demand.

sive national health care, for example, cannot be provided simply by employers, Fraser said in an interview last fall, "so increasingly we'll be turning to political action."

Fraser also 'believes that the work week will have to be shortened. "I think it's absolutely inevitable in our

ally, he said in the inter-

Fraser has been active in the UAW's political activities in Michigan, and is expected to speak out often and forcefully on national issues as president of the union. Wood-cock has brought a professorial demeanor to the job, but Fraser is known as a livlutely inevitable in our lier country that there has to be a ure. lier and more outspoken fig-

# **MD Errors** Causing Deaths, **Nurses Say**

NEW YORK (AP) - A survey of 10,000 nurses found that 42 per cent said they have seen deaths among pa-tients which they thought tients which they thought were caused accidentally by

The survey, reported in the January issue of the magazine Nursing 77, also found that 15 per cent of the nurses said they have more than once seen deaths caused accidentally by development. cidentally by doctors and that 18 per cent knew of deaths ac-cidentally caused by nurses. Ford Set to Lift

Gasoline Curbs

WASHINGTON (UPI)

President Gerald Ford was ready today to send Congress a plan for removing U.S. federal controls on gasoline prices while protecting construction will be protecting construction will be protecting construction will be protected as a gallon each year since them, mainly because cidentally caused by nurses. Thirty-eight per cent of the nurses wouldn't like to be patients in their own hospitals, the survey found. It regted nursing care in the United States and Canada at a "low B" grade. The smaller the hospital, the survey indicated, the less the nurses thought of the care.

As for nursing homes, 55 per cent of responding nurses will be cause since them, mainly because

in 1973 with other petroleum products, have gone up about 3 cents a gallon each year since them, mainly because the law allows higher costs tions said they would not want to be patients where they

for imported crude oil refin-ing and marketing to be passed along to consumers. Virtually all other oil prices have been deregulated. Nursing 77 reported that the nurses blamed insufficient staff, the burdens of paper work and other obligations that took time away from at-Administration sources said

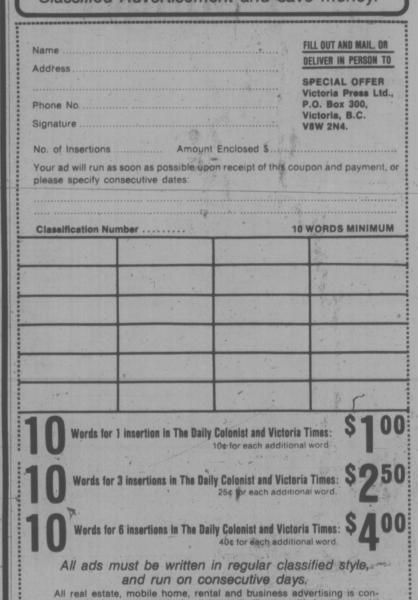
tending to patients as reasons why nursing care of patients Ford's plan would require government monitoring of gasoline prices until after the is less than excellent. The magazine last May published a Probe of Quality Care, listing 78 questions and peak driving season ends next August, and would carry a commitment to re-impose controls or take other action if prices went up at a much asking its nursing readers to reply to them. Those replies, more than 10,000 of them, faster rate after being deconformed the basis of the article

> Concerning health-care, said Nursing 77, three per cent of nurses rated it as excellent. Half said it was good, the marking survived while the magazine reported, while



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# Carter Ethics Aren't Peanuts



GOODWILL HOME: John McDonald, 44, a North Carolina native who moved to Florida to seek work, stands outside his temporary home in an abandoned

# Arms Step-Up Charged by Tass

official news agency Tass acused U.S. President Gerald Ford of seeking to "step up the arms race" at the exusually blames the Pentagon

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Messrs. Pearlman & nance the increasing military expenditures," it said.

Tass said that Ford lost the election because of his 56 vetoes of congressional bills, "especially a bill providing for \$6 billion appropriations for a program of employment,



today a tough ethics code for top U.S. government officials and pledged to free himself of any possible conflict of inter-est by turning over his prosperous peanut business to trustees who will lease or sell

had been considered can-didates for the job, but Wood-

The ethics code requires presidential nominees, start-ing with cabinet members, to divest themselves of any holdings that might conflict with their government duties and to submit detailed statements of their personal wealth.

In addition, for the first time, they must sign a pledge to remain in government for their full appointed term, unless dismissed sooner. They also must agree that for two years after leaving government they will avoid any private job that would cause them to deal with their old departments or agencies on matters that concerned them as federal officials.

"It is the objective of the new administration to avoid any conflict which could in any way influence any gov-ernment officer except in the even interest of all the peo-ple," said the written guide-

Carter's interest in Carter Farms Inc., which consists of agricultural real estate in this area, and Carter's Warehouse, a partnership that buys peanuts from area farmers for subsequent marketing, will be transferred to a speciál trust.

It was not immediately clear what would happen to \$25,781 in common stocks owned by Carter's wife, Rosalynn. A Carter aide had said last September that Carter would sell his stock holdings

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The land owned by Carter Farms will be retained in the trust so long as he is president and will be rented for an

"Thus," the announcement said, "the Carter family will not be affected financially from profits or losses of any

Carter's Warehouse, which the president-elect is the principal partner, while brother Billy and mother Lil-lian have minority interests, "will be either leased for four years for a fixed amount, or sold, at the discretion of the trustee," the announcement

In either event, it said, "neither Jimmy Carter, his wife nor children will be affected financially from profits or losses of any of the warehouse operations.'

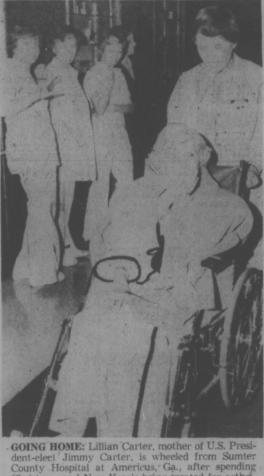
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UNITED NATIONS saw operators. national Civil Aviation Organization. The estimates said doctor was more than five years, Laroche says. airline passenger and freight traffic increased about 10 per cent last year over 1975.

common cause is long, persis-tent use of vibrating tools, particularly chain-saws.

discolor when exposed to humid air, cold and vibrations.

Writing in the current edition of the Canadian Medical Journal, Dr. Gilles Landelle

grown to accept "dead-hand" condition as just one of the things older loggers get.

580M Passengers Laroche says he studied 17 cases, 14 of which were chain-

He says two criteria are es-sential in establishing whether Raynaud's phenome-

discolor when exposed to humid air, cold and vibrations.

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non is vibration-induced. One is the presence of the symptoms for at least two years. The other is a history of at least one year's constant use of a chain-saw.

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# No Vote This Year -Clark

OTTAWA (CP) - Opposition Leader Joe Clark says he does not expect to fight a federal election this year, but the Progressive Conservative party is preparing itself just

In an interview at Stornoway, the official residence of the opposition leader, for the CBC Television program News-magazine, Clark said:

"I suspect it (the election) will still be in 1978, but we are now preparing for one before the fall of 1977."

In the program broadcast Monday night, Clark said the election, when it comes, likely will not be fought over issues of national unity, bilingualism or the constitution.

He said Prime Minister Trudeau cannot separate him-self from the government's. record "during which there have been very serious strains in the Canadian federation, not only in relation to Quebec but also in relation to the other provinces.'

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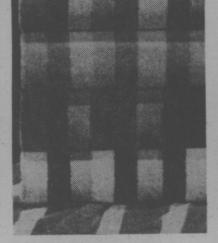
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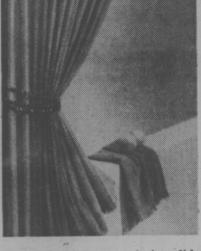
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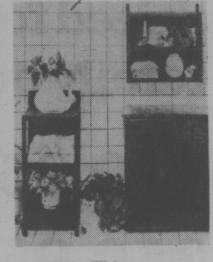
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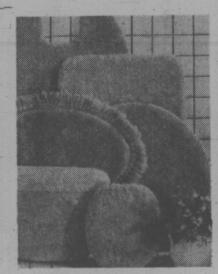
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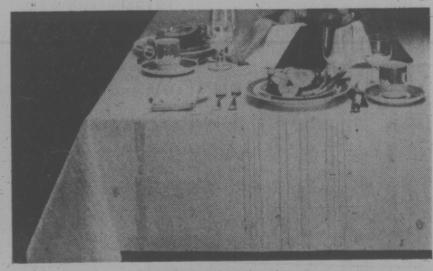
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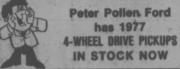


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# Thai Warfare Stepped Up

BANGKOK (Reuter) — Communist guerrillas have stepped up their operations and imposed the heaviest government casualties yet in their 11-year-old battle to take over Thailand.

# Beirut Car Blast Kills 40

BEIRUT — A new gun bat- tle broke out today in Christian-held east Beirut where a powerful car bomb blast killed 40 persons and wounded night in the capital's worst act of violence since peace-keeping troops entered the

killed in today's outbreak. Right-wing Phalangist sources said a car carrying what they called "Communists" fired on passers by in the Dora suburb, killing three persons and wounding others. Phalangist militiamen chased and caught the car, killing two occupants and capturing the other two.

The shooting was not far from the Ashrafieh sector of the city where a powerful bomb explosion shattered the relative peace of the capital

The Phalangist radio put the toll # 40 killed and 53 wounded in the bomb explo-sion, the worst single act of violence since the Arab peacekeeping force entered Beirut in mid-November.

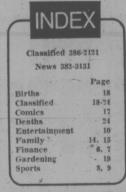
Nobody has claimed responsibility for the explosion and officials have declined to speculate on who might have

been behind it.

The blast took place pear the headquarters of the Phathe headquarters of the Flacting and ist party's security forces. Phalangist party militants reacted to the bombing by blocking main access roads to eastern Beirut from the Moslem sector with barri-

Syrian - dominated Arab League force supervising the ceasefire, the radio said.

nayel and Christian National Liberal party leader Camille
Chamoun appealed to their
followers and residents of the
tact." Christian area to remain calm and let the peace force handle



WEATHER Tonight: Clearing Wednesday: Sunny

In November, 54 members of Thai military forces were killed — the most killed in any month of the insurgency

More troops have been thrown into the fighting in southern Thailand, where the Communists are entrenched in mountain bases.

Fighting always increases with the arrival of the dry season in northern Thailand in November, but this time the Communists have been inflicting heavier losses on government forces.

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The Communist Party of Thailand (CPT) received a boost to its morale when about 600 left wing students fled to the jungle after the right wing military coup in Bangkok last October.

The students have provided

The students have provided the CPT with a ready-made propaganda force in their bid to win over villagers to the Communist cause. Western intelligence sources

say there is no evidence any of the students have joined CPT fighting units, but some are believed undergoing training. In northern Thailand, the Communists killed 22 soldiers in ambushing a military truck Christmas Day.

help defend a post near the Loatian border following a re-port that it was under attack by another guerrilla force.



All Adrift

Chasing ducks across the ice was fun, until a tug came by and shattered his playground, this pup discovered Monday on the Charles River in Boston. He scrambled on to the nearest ice floe, where he was spotted by passers-by on the bank who called for



# Not Even a Slick Shows Fate Of Tanker Lost in Atlantic

Canadian and American air Canadian and American air and sea searchers shifted south into U.S. coastal waters today in their hunt for a tanker missing six days in the Atlantic Ocean with 38 Chinese crew members and 8.2 million scalleng of heavy ail

cades of burning tires.

The broadcast also said an unidentified alien tried to enter the Christian enclave in an auto loaded with more than 40 pounds of dynamite. He was arrested by Christian militia and turned over to the militia and turned over to the carea has moved south along a consequence of the triangle and turned over to the carea has moved south along a consequence of the Atlantic for over five hours Monday but found nothing, he said.

"We have expanded our crossed an area of the Atlantic for over five hours Monday but found nothing, he said.

"The last word we heard was Dec. 30." Sea King port engineer Richard Hwang said litia and turned over to the area has moved south along the course the ship should have been travelling, south and southeast of Cape Cod.

"So far no traces have been found of the ship — no debris, no oil slick," he said. "And there has been no radio con-

Grand Zenith, owned by Zenith Navigations of Panama, left England Dec. 19 bound for Providence, R. I., where it was due Sunday, Jan. 2. It was last reported Thursday about 50 miles south of Cape Sable, on the southermost tip

signal was received from the Zenith and there was no ex-planation why it was missing. U.S. Coast guard head-quarters, which took over co-ordination of the search from ordination of the search from Canadian searchers today, said a Canadian Argus long-distance patrol craft was joined today by a U.S. coast guard helicopter, a \Navy P3 aircraft and an Air Force C-130, along with the coast guard cutter Dallas in the widening search. widening search.

Officials said weather in the ty of about seven miles. A spokesman for the search and rescue co-ordination centre in Halifax said data on days would be fed into a com-

mary search area for the 642-foot tanker.

Capt. Donald Robson said "all available equipment will be used" for the search by air. Weather conditions in the nese crew members and 8.2 search area were described million gallons of heavy oil as "excellent."

An Argus aircraft criss

in New York. "We received a cable about 2 p.m. The captain, T. K. Tsou . . . said he encountered heavy weather and had reduced speed to nine

# Weeks Heard 'Rumors'

thur Weeks said today he has heard "plenty of rumors" about he stock trading activities of Cheyenne Petroleum and Quasar Petroleum.

Weeks said today that after he was fired Dec. 21. had plenty of people phoning me telling me they've heard

"I've heard plenty of Weeks refused to elaborate

on the calls and said he expects to talk to his lawyer before making any further

An investigation involving officers of the RCMP commercial fraud squad, investigators from the government's securities branch and Gerry Cross, director of civil law in the attorney-general's ministry, was launched more than two weeks ago.

The probe covers stock trading activities of the two

firms.

Weeks was fired by his boss, Economic Development Minister Don Phillips, for owning shares in Cheyenne.

In early December, Premier Bill Bennett announced government approval of a \$100 million gas pipeline in northeast B.C. which will benboth Quasar and body. "I did not embezzle or steal. It is all slander and



Toronto reporters mob Prince

# HE'S ANDREW THE PRETENDER

TORONTO (CP) — Prince Andrew says he hopes to study dramatics while at school in Canada because he likes to pretend he is someone else.

The 16-year-old second son of Queen Elizabeth, who arrived in Toronto on Monday on his way to a private ool near Peterborough, Ont., told reporters at an infor mal reception today that a love of dramatics runs in his

He said he sometimes gets bored being him likes to take on other roles. His elder brother, Charles, is better at dramatics than he is, Prince Andrew added,

Prince Andrew asked almost as many questions as he answered. He wanted to know how large Canadian newspapers are and why Canadian television stations have so

When asked about girls, he said he likes girls the same as anyone else. He added that he was interested in all Canadians, not just the girls.

# Taxes Slow B.C. Growth

By AL FORREST Times Staff

Investor confidence will be low in British Columbia during 1977 for a number of reasons, including high taxes levied by the provincial government, the Employers council of B.C. said today.

Council president Bill Hamilton said increases in income and sales taxes as well as other government charges in 1976 have drained off funds that could have stimulated the

In an annual forecast, the council said British Columcouncil said British Columbia's net increase in its gross national product should be equal to or just under the projected national total of 4.2 per cent in 1976.

British Columbia

per cent in 1976.

British Columbia has a number of problems, he said, including a slow recovery for the forest and mining indus-

Other problems were inherited from the New Demo-cratic Party government.

These included deficit budgets and overruns. However, the Social Credit government. in making corrections, has acted too strongly, too soon, Hamilton said.

"A strong case can be made that, had the corrections been phased in more gradually, consumer spending would have been at least a moderately stimulative force during the past year."

the past year."

The government went too far with its increases in personal and corporate income taxes and its increase in the sales tax to seven per cent from five per cent, he said.

In addition, Insurance Corporation of B.C. premiums were doubled as were ferry

Hamilton said stores will notice a sharp drop in sales during the early part of this during the early part of this year as the new ICBC pre-

year as the new ICBC premiums become due.

But despite this slow start, retail sales should top the rate-of inflation in 1977, which would represent a growth of about eight per cent. Canada's inflation is expected to be between 6.5 per cent and eight per cent, despite the national target of six per cent, Hamilton said.

Department store sales in

Department store sales in Vancouver were up only 4.4 per cent during the first nine months of 1976, compared with a national average of 13.8 per cent, he said.

While the strong actions by the government have been detrimental to retail sales, there are signs that the new

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### DOLLAR UP CANBERRA (AFP) - The

Australian dollar was revalued slightly today, moving to a central rate of \$1.0874 U.S. for \$1 Australian from last Eriday's rate of \$1.0864.

investor confidence over the long term, Hamilton said.

The business community is not concerned so much with

harshness of its first actions.

The province can look forward to steady improvement in lumber sales but pulp pro-

Mining operations require a stronger world economy to in-crease sales but the outlook for coal is good. The extension of the fishing limit to 200 miles should in-

crease the Canadian catch and should result in increased sales to Japan, Hamilton said. The forecast is prepared in co-operation with a board of

### NFLD. BOATS REFUSE TO FISH

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) - Newfoundland's trawler fleet

stayed in Port Monday because of a contract dispute that may not be resolved until at least Thursday.

About 1,000 trawlermen, members of the Newfoundland Fishermen, Food and Allied Workers, are attempting to negotiate a two-year contract. The union has accused fish processing companies, which own the trawlers, of stalling on the

Conciliation officer Cyril Churchill said he had arranged

Details of the contract demands have not been made public but union officials say a prime factor is safety conditions aboard ships.

# Ocean Falls Workers Quit Over Ferries

OCEAN FALLS - Trans portation problems along the coast are causing this town's provincially-operated pulp and paper mill to lose em-

And the breakdown of the launch Bella Bella, which has beenr unning a connecting service with the Queen of Prince Rupert, means further hard-ship, Harvey Inskip, Ocean Falls townsite co-ordinator, Harvey Inskip, Ocean townsite co-ordinator, said Monday.

"If the mill suffers, we all suffer," said Inskip, who is also a member of the Coastal Transportation Action Committee which represents communities between northern jolt after he touched the car Vancouver Island and Prince on which live hydro lines had Rupert left without scheduled dropped. service since federal subsidies Two e since federal subsidies Two passing motorists.

Northland Navigation grabbed him and rolled him

The launch has been towed fire. to Prince Rupert for repairs
but, said Inskip, the replacement vessel—supposed to be
the Malibu Princess from the
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Malibu Princess from the
when the downed lines were Queen Charlotte Islands run, removed.

"Any remote community like this has a large turnover of workers," he said. "In the past there has been little difficulty keeping new people coming in but now it's a dif-

ferent story.
"How can you attract employees to a site when it's all their lives are worth to reach it? The situation would be ridiculous if it weren't so

A recent test run by Inskip and other committee members found that it took 25 hours to travel from Ocean Falls to Victoria, a distance of about 340 miles. Without a launch, however, passengers are dependent on small charter aircraft which may be grounded for days by bad

The town fathers say the

### RESCUER JOLTED

TORONTO (CP). - Peter Brown, 18, of Toronto was in satisfactory condition in hospital after being stunned by 8,000 volts of electricity when he went to the aid of a man whose car had struck a hydro pole Monday night.

He suffered third-degree burns to his hands and was thrown about 15 feet by the

### Oil Blast Injures One BILLINGS, Mont. (AP)

Explosions and fire engulfed an Exxon Oil Co. refinery near Billings Monday night, but authorities said apparently only one person was in-

have been fueled by a rup-tured pipeline and flames ini-tially shot 200 feet into the air See WORKERS Page 2 but soon began to diminish.

# Cabinet Minister Suicide Shakes Israel

TEL AVIV — Housing Minister Avraham Ofer, one of Premier Yitzhak Rabin's closest confidants, shot him self to death in his car along a deserted beach Monday in the face of a widespread corruption scandal that has sha-ken Israel's dominant political Labor Party.

"I have no doubt that the truth will come out," he said in a suicide note found by his

as best I could, and never did anyone harm. Why was I so persecuted?" the note conmore

Ofer, a strong supporter of Rabin, was the first cabinet minister implicated in corrupgovernment companies.

One of the incidents being investigated is the alleged misappropriation of \$300,000

in funds earmarked for the purchase of lands near Jeru-salem from West Bank Arabs.

Ofer, a key member of the labor party, directed Rabin's election campaign in 1974. The party leadership dropped plans to appoint him as Rabin's 1977 election manager

Ofer came to Israel from Poland in 1933. He lived on a Kibbutz collective settlement before entering public ser-

chael Tzur, former controller of foreign exchange, serving a 15-year prison sentence for began to spread three months fraud, bribery and illegal cur-rency deals; Asher Yadlin, a Labor party leader nominated to be governor of the Bank of Israel last fall, indicted on fraud and bribery charges.

Customs Director David Peled, charged last Friday with faking bribes from a fi-

with taking bribes from a fi-nancier who committed sui-

Others brought down by the scandals include financier Mi-chael Tzur, former controller company who resigned last

Ofer, were put in the form of an official complaint by Yigal who was the first to bring

# **EXPLOSIONS DESTROY** SCOTCH WAREHOUSE

GLASGOW (Reuter) — Three explosions ripped through a scotch whisky warehouse today, and police said some people in nearby tenaments were injured.

Rescue workers said they believed the customs warehouse was manned by a skeleton staff because of the New

whole place is an inferno and we are just hoping that there was no one in there," an ambulance spokesman

The blasts followed one another in quick succession and flames were seen several miles away. There was no indica-

VICTORIA TIMES, TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1977

# TORONTO MARKET TRADING

TODAY'S GRAIN PRICES

Monday's volume of trade was 551,000 bushels and 6,860 tons of rapeseed, 3,520 tons of oats 3,140 of barley, 2,920 of rye, 1,640 of flax and 800 of feed wheat

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WINNIPEG (CP) - Van- Flax and Thunder Bay rape-

late in the session and closed and other grains were mixed.

TORONTO (CP) — Toronto Rapeseed Thunder Bay

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mer, announced Monday the Rapeseed Vancouver

as much as \$1.30 a metric ton

higher on the Winnipeg Com-

Blue Jays

Sign Pair

Blue Jays, who start their inaugural baseball season in the American League this sum-

American League this sum-

Signing of the two players who had been released by

Garcia, 26, was released

this winter by Detroit Tigers. He was originally signed by Milwaukee Brewers, where he

Milwaukee Brewers, where he played 3½ years. We was traded to Detroit midway in the 1976 season and in 118 games last year batted .204

with four homers and 29 mins

Allen, 26, was originally signed by California Angels and pitched in 159 major league games with the Angels, Texas Rangers, Chi-

cago White Sox and St. Louis Cardinals. He was released by

the Cardinals this winter.

their previous clubs brought May

the Blue Jays roster to 39 Jly

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Calgary

Livestock

CALGARY (CP) - Moder-

at the Calgary Public Stock-yards totalled about 1,575

head, mainly slaughter steers, heifers and cows. Steers and heifers met a

moderate demand while cows met a good demand. Slaugh-ter steers sold 75 cents to \$1

higher and cows sold a full \$1 higher. A few bulls on offer

Al-2 slaughter steers over 1,000 pounds 35.50-36.80, A3-4 34-35.50, B and C 29-33, Al-2 slaughter heliers over 850 pounds 30-31.50, A3-4 28-29.50, B and C 25-27.50.

D1-2 cows 20.50-22.30, D3 19.50-20.50, D4 17-19.50. Good bulls 24-26.50.

Feeder cattle were scarce and were mostly in the hea-vier weight ranges and sold

Good feeder steers over 800 pounds 30-32.50, good feeder heifers over 700 pounds 24-27.

A total of 248 hogs were sold.

to 11 a.m. at Calgary assembly points. High 46.75, low and

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**Prices Slipping** 

TORONTO (CP) — Prices dropped moderately in light mid-afternoon trading on the Toronto stock market Tues-

National Grocers Co. Ltd., a Loblaw Cos. Ltd. subsidiary, and Melchers Distillers Ltd. were untraded following their resumption at the opening.

Among other industrials, Canadian Imperial Bank fell % to \$25½, Canadian Pacific Investments ½ to \$18%, Union Gas A % to \$94%, Massey-Ferguson % to \$22% and Na-Churs International % to \$6.

Woodward Stores A rose % to \$17%, Peoples Department Stores ½ to \$5½, Canada Packers C ½ to \$18, Nordair 50 cents to \$2.75 and L.E. Shaw Ltd. A ½ to \$7½.

Brunswick Mining and melting dropped ¼ to \$5%. Canadian stocks were linded Siscoe Mines ¼ to \$6%. Roman Corp. was up % of 30 industrials closed at \$20.00 at \$2.00 at Smelting dropped ¼ to \$5%, Rio Algom ¼ to \$27% and United Siscoe Mines ¼ to \$6%. Roman Corp. was up % of 30 indust to \$22 and Cyprus Anvil Mining % to \$101/2.

Among oils, Prairie Oil Royalties slipped % to \$10, Chieftain Developments % to \$11% and Canada Northwest Land ¼ to \$7%. Siebens Oil and Gas gained to \$14% and Bridger Pete 1/4 to \$7%.

New York

NEW YORK (AP) - Stock prices lapsed into a steady decline Tuesday in selling atdecline Tuesday in seling attributed mainly to technical
forces within the market.
Trading was fairly active.
MYSE volume came to 15.33
million shares by 2 p.m.
Analysts said there was
nothing particular in United

million shares by 2 p.m.
Analysts said there was nothing particular in United States economic news to account for the market's weakness.
Instead, they said, some traders seemed to be con-cerned that the buying power needed for an early-1977 rally might have been used up in the strong advance leading up

the strong advance leading up to New Year's.
Saul Smerling at Standard and Poor's Corp. also noted some feeling that "we might be approaching a bottoming in the downtrend of short term interest rates."
Housing stocks were nota-bly weak in profit taking after a strong performance by the

a strong performance by the group late last year.

Johns-Manville dropped 114

to \$32½ in active trading; Centex was off 1 at \$11½; U.S. Home gave up ½ to \$7%, and Flintkote slipped 1 to \$20%.

The NYSE's composite

index lost .35 to 57.34.
On the American Stock Exchange, the market value index edged up .02 to 110.62.

At Toronto

Volume at 2:30 p.m. EST was 237,500 shares, compared with 104,800 shares traded up to the same time Monday.

Calgary Power A was off ½ at \$34, Seagram Ltd. ¼ at \$23½, Alean Aluminium ½ at \$24 and Consumers Gas ½ at \$14. Asbestos Corp. was up 1/4 at \$2234, Texaco Canada ¼ at \$2534, Nordair A 40 cents at \$2.65 and Financial Collection Agencies 25 cents at \$1.85.

London

derately in light trading, the first trading day of 1977.

Leading industrials gained sharply, while gold issues rose in line with higher world

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Repair Plan for Gas Stations

A new firm plans to take some of the cost and the wait out of fixing gasoline pumps used in the Maritimes.

Petrobuild Ltd., located here, is remanufacturing the pumps for oil companies and individual gasoline dealers.

Donald J. Rooney, general-manager of Petrobuild, says it's an operation that will save time and money. Before the firm started operations a month ago, any-one in the Maritimes who

wanted a gasoline pump re-paired or wanted parts had to send to Toronto.

"That meant a dealer had to pay about \$150 in shipping charges. We're going to be able to do away with that," Rooney said in an interview. The procedure for taking an all many and with protection of it. old pump and using parts of it to make a new one is relatively recent, he said.

"Historically, the oil companies, who replace the pumps regularly at their service stations, would put in totally new ones and simply put the old ones in storage."

A new pump can cost be-tween \$900 and \$1,000 while the recycled unit costs under

Petrobuild is affiliated with the Bennett Co., which manu-factures about 70 per cent of the 12,000 pumps used in the Maritimes. New material, pump parts and building kits are provided by Bennnett. Petrobuild has hired and

trained 10 employees, who

pump remanufacture.
Old pumps are dismantled in a ventilated room. Parts that can't be recycled are sold for scrap, Other parts such as the meter, computer and numbing unit are reas-

New steel frames are added and steel siding put on. The rebuilt unit is indistinguishable from a new model except for the serial number, which begins with the letter

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Montreal

AT MONTREAL prices were mixed in moderate af-ternoon trading Tuesday on



After your true love has sent you your 12 leaping lords to round out the holiday season, there's one final gesture you can make in keeping with the Christmas spirit.

The Mayarr Shopping Centre would love to have your

All this week up to Saturday, Mayfair will collect discarded Christmas trees in the south end of the east parking lot. On Saturday, the trees will be mulched by Chuck DeLure of Mount View Tree Service. He will make a cash donation for every tree mulched. This will be matched dollar for dollar

by the Mayfair merchants.

The combined amount will be donated to the Victoria Multiple Sclerosis Society.

R. W. McGall, B.C. director for the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation since 1968, has been appointed manager of CEC operations for Victoria and Vancouver Island.

McGall asked for the job when the CEC applied for a Victoria television licence and will be in charge of developing a new television station here.

Early this year new television transmitters are expected to go into operation at Gold River, Tahsis, Woss Camp, Port McNeill, Nimpkish, Port Alice, Port Hardy, Alert Bay, Holberg

These will carry local and network programs of CBUT Vancouver until the Victoria station starts operating.

\* \* \* Sailors ashore and affoat are getting a little extra education to help them handle drug and alcohol problems.

Rear-Admiral Andrew Collier, commander, maritime command Pacific, says the Base Alcohol Rehabilitation Pro-gram on drugs and alcohol was reinstituted last summer.

In addition, personnel development days are held aboard naval vessels during which films and lectures are presented

Margaret Trudeau has a horsey rival on Vancouver Island, when it comes to punctual delivery of offspring during

Sharita K, a five-year-old thoroughbred mare owned by breeders Rajindi and Joan Mayo, presented them with a filly on New Year's Day — for the second consecutive year. Last year the filly was born at around 10 p.m., this year

the delivery took place at about 2 a.m.

Mrs. Mayo told Town Talk they are trying to come up with a name appropriate to such an unusual double.

The Mayos' farm is at Paldi, a small community between

Duncan and Lake Cowichan.

Matthew Arnold coined the phrase "dreaming spires," but in the Times on New Year's Eve it was the caption writer, not the spires, who was dreaming.

Our dawn picture of the city's skyline showed among other landmarks a church spire, which the caption identified as that of the Metropolitan United Church. But a keen-eyed reader informs us the steeple is actually

St. John's Church, 1611 quadra.

One thing people in Greater Victoria didn't do so well at last year was bleeding.

The local Red Cross held its final series of clinics recently

and the result: 1,049 donors in contrast to a target of 1,150. It was that way all year, with a fotal of 14,000 donors needed and

13,094 showing up, many of them tried and true veterans.

What it all means is that in a community of close to 250,000, we can't produce the one person in 18 to meet the needs of our local hospitals. Blood has to be brought in from donors else-

First clinic of the new year is at Sidney's Sanscha Hall today from 2:30 to 8 p.m.

Ares, an undiscovered and starving local rock group, put

on a New Year's Eve bash at the Quadra Rec Centre.

It was the band's first performance in front of "real people," and the crowd of 160 loved it, dancing until 3:30 a.m. Band members Ross Speller, Nigel Slater, Mike Brumm-well, Bill Waldron and mascot Rex, an evil-looking teddy bear, said they were pleased with the evening's success despite their profit — \$4.

# Ask the Times

Q. What is the longest time 'but found guilty of attempted

Q. What is the longest time it has taken a jury to reach a verdict in Victoria? R.S.

A. The longest-deliberating jury in recent memory reached its verdict Feb. 10, 1976, after spending 13 hours and 45 minutes in actual deliberation, shirting in the after the state of the victoria Times. Readers, too, are invited to send in their own Wordplays, the state of the victoria times. and 45 minutes in actual de-liberation, starting in the af-ternoon and concluding in the evening of the following day. ternoon and concluding in the evening of the following day.
The case involved Remy Antoine Gatto, accused of rape

send in their own Wordplays, designed in an imaginative manner to underline artistically the meaning of the word in question.

Does the Job For Tricia By DEREK SIDENIUS

Convict Cash

Times Staff

Four-year-old Tricia Ste-phen, partly blind and errip-

or it.

Bennett said there was
The inmates donated \$213 of doubt at the time the project

wheelchairs, an expandable Invacare model — and had enough left over to present the child's mother, Diane, of 3229 Lodnel with a cheque for

William Head program director Mike Bennett said

# Firemen To Talk

scheduled Wednesday by pro-vincial mediator Clark Gil-mour to try to settle the wage dispute between the city of Victoria and its firefighters.

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After a three-hour meeting Monday, firefighters unjon president Ross Cameron said the union presented its interventation of an amendment malt and had been sentenced increase.

Nicholet was convicted early last year for mansulaughter in connection with the death of his wife in Esquimalt and had been sentenced increase.

Amount of the increase. the union presented its in-terpretation of an amendment to the Anti-Inflation Board

give their reaction to Gilmour

tive today.

The truck-mounted camera

today the project was the idea of two inmates, Ed Nicholet and Ken Berryman.

phen, partly blind and cripplen, partly blind and crippled from birth, finally has her own wheelchair.

The cerebral palsy victim
The inmates at William series of hostage-taking incidents and riots.

The inmates donated \$213 of their own funds, raised \$87 in contributions from William lead staff and parole officers and got another \$249 from the community with the aid of the Victoria Lifeline group.

With the money — \$549 — they bought the latest in the slowly in t

He said the donations came from the daily allowance each inmate receives from the fed-

The allowances range from 75 cents to \$1.50 a day for purchase of cigarettes, confection and toilet items from

the prison canteen.

The wheelchair and cheque were presented at a social evening at Trinity Church Dec. 16.

Bennett said Mrs. Stephen had not been told of the pre-sentation and was "overcome with emotion.'

Wednesday

Another meeting has been scheduled Wednesday by provincial mediator Clark Gilmour to try to settle the wage dispute between the city of with emotion."

"I'd been told Tricia was invited to a children's Christmas party," Mrs. Stephen said today. "But she wound up the guest of honor."

Bennett said Nicholet had once driven a bus for the G. R. Pearkes Clinic and knew of the family situation.

to eight years.

He has now been transferred to the minimum securi-

Wide Load Law Effective Today

is 81/2 feet and any vehicle or

guidelines.

He said it was obvious that none of the city's negotiators had even seen the amendment in question. But they were apmining the control of the cover Mainland.

Mrs. Stéphen praised the inmates and said that having

mobile home over miles of in-terior highways last fall to. The wider mobile homes

normally used for obtaining is 8½ feet and any vehicle or engineering data for the high-load in excess requires a spe-

ways department showed a cial permit and must follow detailed procedure such as the use of pilot cars, mark-

corners, tough grades and ings, flags, lights and observ-over narrow bridges to assist ing hours of travel.

e today.

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## Fee Hikes Coming At UVic

"Fairly substantial" fee in-creases are expected in Sep-tember at the University of

President Dr. Howard Petch said Monday programs that need more faculty, higher salaries and provincial crease grants will force the increase.

ment grants are announced in jFees are now \$30 per unit

to a maximum of \$428 for undergraduate students in the raised in 1965.

Petch said the university is reluctant to raise fees, bu tive member of the family."

The previous limit on over-

remains for the federally-con-trolled Trans-Canada High-way east of Golden and Alas-

ka Highway north of Mile 83.

# Hotel Work Starts

From a lofty perch on the top floor of the Laurel Point condominium, heavy earth-moving equipment looks like children's toys in a sand pit.

The bulldozers were

back on the site this morning, as preliminary work started on construction of the hotel second phase of the develop-

Much smaller than the 199-room structure origi-

nally proposed, the hotel will have 127 rooms and convention facilities for about 175 people. It will be four storeys high—only half the eight of the earlier proposal.

Completion date for the two left is the suppose of

project is the summer of 1978, and the hotel will be operated by the B.C. chain Delta Hotels Ltd.
Already built under the first phase are 120 con-dominiums and seven luxury townhouses. Developers are Canadian Free-hold Properties Ltd.

A year ago the com-pany's president, John D'Eath, said there was lit-tle chance that any hotel would ever be built or

would ever be built on the site, unless there was an economic revival. Three months later, however, Canadian Free-hold submitted revised plans for a scaled-down

# LIP Grants To Create 129 Jobs

By AL FORREST Times Staff

A total of 129 new jobs will be created as a result of new grants for the Esquimalt-Saanich constituency under the federal Local Initiatives Program, it was announced today.

A grant of \$360,000 will provide work for 86 persons in new projects while another 43 will be hired through supplementary grants to existing

The new projects, announced today by Esquimalt-Sanjich Conservative MP Don Munro, include a grant of \$50,830 to employ 12 people to construct a Long House on the Pauquachin Indian reserve on West Sanjich Road The pre-West Saanich Road. The pre-vious community centre was destroyed by fire.

Other new projects: A grant of \$11,730 to hire three people for a Native Community Development pro-gram of the Saanich Indian school board.

A total of \$13,260 to hire three people for a mental health program at Cordova

A grant of \$28,730 to hire seven to prepare children's playgrounds on the Songhees reserve at Esquimalt. Five people will be bired on a budget of \$19,890 to provide recreation services in Sidney and North Saanich in a joint

A total of \$24,310 will employ six at an Indian Cultural Awareness education centre near Brentwood.

A grant of \$33,150 will employ eight for landscaping and other work in the Songhees

reserve.
Another \$13,260 will employ three as counsellors for Indians at Brentwood.

A total of \$53,040 will hire 12 for a major community project in the Tsartlip reserve. A total of \$10,540 will em-

ploy four to construct a model bikeway in Saanich. A Sidney teen activity group will get \$17,680 to employ four people.

A St. Joseph's day carecentre on Burnside will get a grant of \$28,730 to hire seven people. Construction work on the Swan Lake-Christmas Hill na-

ture project will employ six people on a budget of \$26,520.

Bilston Creek flood control work will receive another \$11,000 to hire four people.

grants announced today.

Arbutus Crafts will get an additional \$12,750 and hire three more people.

A Juan de Fuca park program will get another \$17,680 and hire four more people. A Tsawout band project of building and repairing houses will receive an additional \$24,990 and hire seven more.

A Willis Point community project will hire three more and receive \$13,260.

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A Piers Island (near Swartz Bay) project will get \$6,290 and will hire 10 people.

A Saanich Parks Department project will get another \$8,840 and hire two people.

A Capital Regional District parks program will hire 10 on a grant of \$28,220.

# Fire Rips Saanich Residence

Fire in an older two-storey house at 2888½ Glenwood Monday night caused between \$15,000 to \$20,000 damage, Saanich fire officials said

today.
The fire, reported at 7:45 p.m. started under a child's bed in an upstairs bedroom of the house, rented by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lancaster. Fire Chief Harold Gains

Fire Chief Harold Gains said the blaze was discovered by Lancaster's six-year-old daughter, Tanya, just as the family was sitting down to supper.

Lancaster and his wife got the girls and two other children outside then ran to a neighbor and phoned in the alarm.

Gains said firemen were at the scene for nearly three

hours.

He said the bedroom was gutted and the house extensively damaged by smoke

### Ship Movements

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT

Camsell and Racer in refit, Douglas in Strait of Georgia,
Vancouver in port; Ready in
Sand Heads patrol area,
Quadra on Station Papa,
Rider at Kitsilano.

MARINE SCIENCES
Parizana in House Sound

Parizeau in Howe Sound, Vector in Esquimalt, Pandora II and Richardson at Pat Bay.

# Tax Sting Won't Hurt Too Much, Says Brice

Greater Victoria school board predicts a slight decrease in school taxes this year.

But, Susan Brice cautions, 1977 is an unusual year and any reduction should not be construed as a trend.

Mrs. Brice who Monday de-

Mrs. Brice who Monday de-leated Lavinia Greenwood to replace Bill Ross as board chairman, said today local taxpayers "won't be stung too badly this year." travel east-west two days a week, and west-east two other days of the week. This applies

She said taxpayers have in effect pre-paid \$2.2 million the amount declared surplus in the 1976 budget.

The smaller tax bite is also due to "some rather signifi-cant cutbacks" in the 1977

provisional budget.



BRICE

and the same government ed-ucation mill rate assesment

Mrs. Brice said her primary goal as chairman will be to pull the board together, adding there is "some reality" in the talk about a split on

'A chairman should set the stage for sound decisions, Mrs. Brice said.

Gerry Kristianson was unan-imously re-elected chairman of Saanich Peninsula school Walter Tangye defeated Rubymay Parrott, a former chairman, for the vice-chair-

eman's post.

# Count the Sevens and Your Blessings

Times Staff

Louie the oddsmaker says we have entered the Year of

the Good Luck.

"It's 1977, right? And seven is the luckiest number. This is the luckiest number. This the Snake,"

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"It's 1977, right? And seven is the luckiest number. This are also entering the Year of the Snake," year we get two sevens, that's twice as lucky," he says.
"Okay, go ahead and laugh.

Campbell is 2 to 5 to beat any-

The Chinese regard these nadian political life. But do you know how long you have to wait for another year with two sevens? One hundred but history has shown them to

other Snake year was 1941, which brought among other things, Pearl Harbor. Going further Going further back, 1917 was another Snake year and the worst of the First Wirld

It was the fourth Pearson-Diefenbaker slugfest in seven. be downright unpleasant.

For example, 1929 brought in a Year of the Snake and one to win. The result was the

government, a record which may stand for all time. Possibly Louie has 1977 confused with 1978, which accord-

ing to the Chinese calendar is the Year of the Horse.

the second Monday, which is to be known as Heritage Day and falls on Feb. 14. It is in honor of the declaration of the Otherwise, there are a lew bright spots in the year ahead. It is not a Leap Year so there is one day fewer to work than in 1976. There is only one Friday the 13th all year (in May) compared with two in 1976.

Teachers and students will

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To therwise, there are a lew and falls on Feb. 14. It is in honor of the declaration of the days.

But whatever happens. Christmas will come and, as Louie says, a year with two sevens can't be all bad, can it?

first day of school is not until Sept. 6, because Labor Day, the first Monday in Sepmembrance Day, Nov. 11. the first Monday in Set tember, is not until the fifth. The bad news is that Chri

# TORONTO MARKET TRADING

TODAY'S GRAIN PRICES

Monday's volume of trade was 551,000 bushels and 6,860 tons of rapeseed, 3,520 tons of cats 3,140 of barley, 2,920 of rye, 1,640 of flax and 800 of feed wheat.

High Low Close

94.30 83.20 94.00 — 95.00 — 94.40

EARLY QUOTES

May 271.00 269.50 270.40 Jly — 273.90 Oct — 275.80

Rapeseed Thunder Bay

Rapeseed Vancouver

 Jan
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 Mar
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 Jun
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 Spt
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 263.50
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Closing prices

Flax

May

May

WINNIPEG (CP) - Van-

couver rapeseed rebounded late in the session and closed as much as \$1.30 a metric ton

higher on the Winnipeg Commodity Exchange.

CHICAGO GRAIN

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COMMODITIES

High Low Close 275 272 2741/2 28034 2773/4 2803/4 2851/2 282 285

TARIFFS RETAINED

OTTAWA (CP) — the federal industry department has announced a five-year program to help the Canadian

television manufacturing in-

rent 15-per-cent tariff on imported television sets will be

maintained for the years 1977

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Flax and Thunder Bay rape- Barley

 seed prices remained weak, May
 91.40
 90.90
 91.10

 and other grains were mixed.
 Jly
 91.90
 90.50
 91.00

 Monday's volume of trade
 Oct
 89.90
 89.60
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Oats

Feed Wheat

Jly

83.10 82.00 \* 83.10 --- 81.60

101.50 101.00 101.00

Calgary

Livestock

at receipts to 11 a.m. today at the Calgary Public Stock-yards totalled about 1,575 head, mainly slaughter steers, heifers and cows. Steers and heifers met a

moderate demand while cows met a good demand. Slaugh-ter steers sold 75 cents to \$1.

higher and cows sold a full \$1 higher. A few bulls on offer

A1-2 slaughter steers over 1,000 pounds 35.50-36.80, A3-4 34-35.50, B and C 29-33. A1-2

D1-2 cows 20.50-22.30, D3 19.50-20.50, D4 17-19.50. Good bulls 24-26.50.

Feeder cattle were scarce and were mostly in the hea-

vier weight ranges and sold steady.

Good feeder steers over 800

pounds 30-32.50, good feeder heifers over 700 pounds 24-27. A total of 248 hogs were sold

to 11 a.m. at Calgary assembly points. High 46.75, low and current 46.55.

B and C 25-27.50.

Volume at 2:30 p.m. EST

with 104,800 shares traded up

Calgary Power A was off 1/2

at \$34, Seagram Ltd. 1/4 at

\$231/2. Alcan Aluminium 1/8 at

\$24 and Consumers Gas 1/8 at \$14. Asbestos Corp. was up 1/4

at \$22%, Texaco Canada ¼ at \$25%, Nordair A 40 cents at \$2.65 and Financial Collection

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Agencies 25 cents at \$1.85.

was 237,500 shares, compared

to the same time Monday.

# **Prices Slipping**

TORONTO (CP) — Prices dropped moderately in light mid-afternoon trading on the Toronto stock market Tues-

National Grocers Co. Ltd., a National Grocers Co. Ltd., a Loblaw Cos. Ltd. subsidiary, and Melchers Distillers Ltd. were untraded following their resumption at the opening.

London

At London, prices rose moderately in light trading, the first trading day of 1977.

Leading industrials gained sharply, while gold issues rose in line with higher world bullon prices.

Brunswick Mining and Smelting dropped % to \$5%, Rio Algon % to \$27% and United Siscoe Mines % to \$6%. Roman Corp. was up % to \$22 and Cyprus Anvil Mining % to \$10%.

Among oils, Prairie Royalties slipped 55 Chieftain Deventions of 30 in the state of the

Among oils, Prairie Oil Royalties slipped % to \$10, Chieftain Developments % to \$11\% and Canada Northwest Land ¼ to \$75%, Siebens Oil

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices lapsed into a steady decline Tuesday in selling attributed mainly to technical forces within the market.

million shares by 2 p.m.

Analysts said there was nothing particular in United States economic news to account for the market's

to \$321% in active trading;. Centex was off 1 at \$113%; U.S. Home gave up 1½ to \$75%, and Flintkote slipped 1 to

\$20%.
The NYSE's composite index lost .35 to 57.34.
On the American Stock Exchange, the market value index edged up .02 to 110.62.

### Montreal

ternoon trading Tuesday on

A new firm plans to take some of the cost and the wait pump remanufacture.
Old pumps are dismantled in a ventilated room. Parts that can't be recycled are sold for scrap. Other parts Petrobuild Ltd., located here, is remanufacturing the pumps for oil companies and individual gasoline dealers.

Repair Plan for

Gas Stations

MONCTON, N.B. (CP)

out of fixing gasoline pumps used in the Maritimes.

Before the firm, started operations a month ago, anyone in the Maritimes who wanted a gasoline pump re-

paired or wanted parts had to send to Toronto. "That meant a dealer had to pay about \$150 in shipping

charges. We're going to be able to do away with that,"
Rooney said in an interview.
The procedure for taking an old pump and using parts of it to make a new one is relatively recent be said.

ly recent, he said.

sold for scrap. Other parts such as the meter, computer and pumping unit are reassembled with new parts.

New steel frames are added and steel siding put on. The rebuilt unit is indistinguishable from a new model except for the serial number, which begins with the latter. Donald J. Rooney, general-manager of Petrobuild, says it's an operation that will save time and money. which begins with the letter

Each is tested with a five-gallon government-calibrated test can which determines if

### **\$ EXCHANGE**

'Historically, the oil companies, who replace the pumps regularly at their service stations, would put in totally new ones and simply put the old ones in storage."

A new pump can cost between \$900 and \$1,000 while

the recycled unit costs under \$800. the Bennett Co., which manufactures about 70 per cent of the 12,000 pumps used in the Maritimes. New material, pump parts and building kits are provided by Bennnett.

Petrobuild has hired and

In New York, the Canadian dol lar was up 9-25 at \$0.9948. Pound sterling was up 41-50 at \$1.7100. GOLD

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Among other industrials, Canadian Imperial Bank fell % to \$25%, Canadian Pacific Investments % to \$18%, Union Gas A % to \$9%, Massey-Ferguson % to \$22% and Na-Churs International % to \$6.

and Gas gained to \$14% and Bridger Pete ¼ to \$7%.

### New York

Trading was fairly active. NYSE volume came to 15.33

weakness.
Instead, they said, some traders seemed to be concerned that the buying power needed for an early-1977 rally might have been used up in the strong advance leading up to New Year's.

Saul, Smerling at Standard and Poor's Corp. also noted some feeling that "we might be approaching a bottoming in the downtrend of short, term interest rates."

Housing stocks were nota-

Housing stocks were notably weak in profit taking after a strong performance by the group late last year.

Johns-Manville dropped 11/4

AT MONTREAL prices were mixed in moderate af-

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Fine Wale Corduroy "Buckeye" pants that are guaranteed to fade! Super Western styling with front scoop pockets, back patch pockets, zipper fly and belt loops. Canadian Made. Rich Blue or Tan colours.

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100% Cotton Corduroy pants with half boxer styling for total comfort. With zipper fly and dome top, two front scoop pockets and belt loops. Made in Canada. Choose from a wide assortment of colours.

Canadian made pants in smooth and supple Cotton Corduroy. High-styled too with flared legs, two front scoop pockets and two back patch pockets, zipper fly with dome top and belt loops. Great colours.

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On sale January 5th to 8th While quantities last **PULLOVER** 

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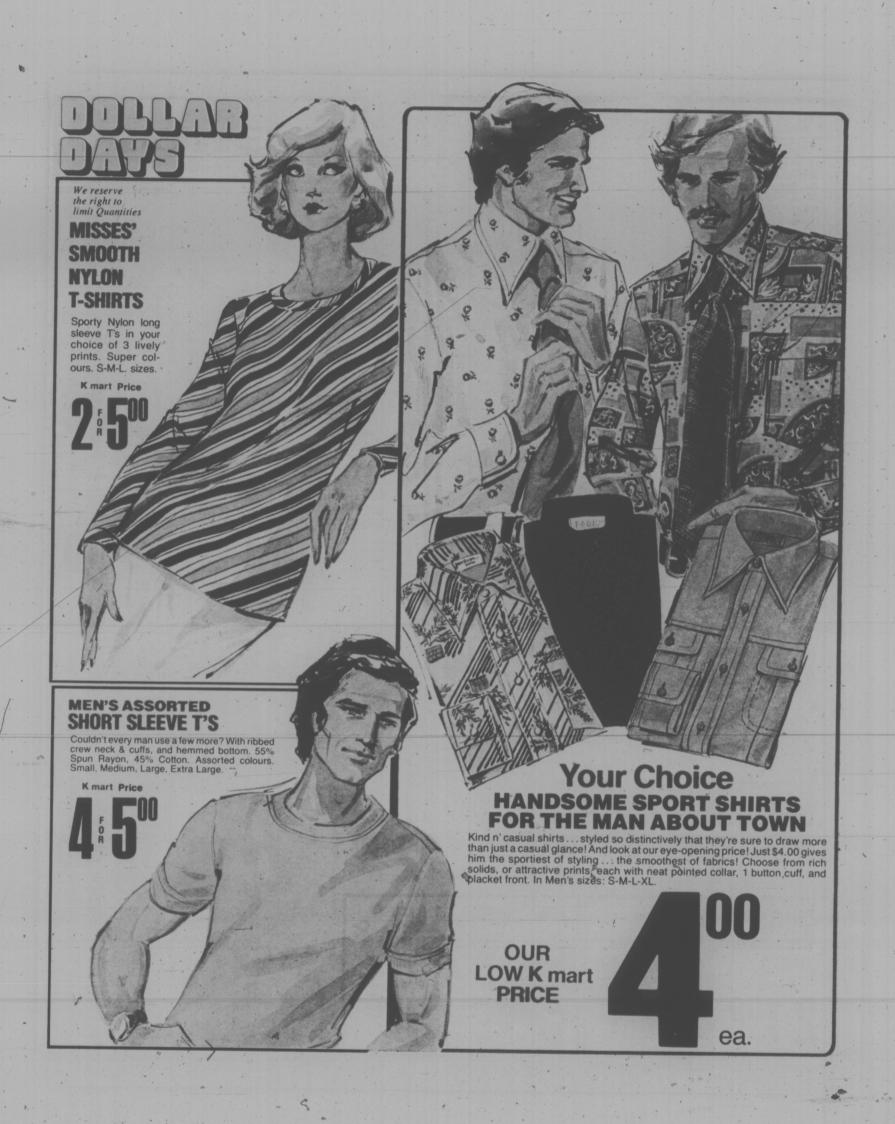
MEN'S QUALITY WORK HOSE

Made from a long wearing blend of 45% Wool, 30% Rayon, 15% Acrylic, 10% un-known fibres.

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MEN'S COTTON BRIEFS—3 PR. 100% Cotton rib knit briefs with elastic waist. 3 per pack. White. Small, Medium, Large.















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**DISH CLOTHS** 

Cotton terry holders in colourful kitchen prints. 3 to a package. Approx. 7" x 7".

100% Cotton
Orange, Blue, Green
and Yellow checks.
Approx. 14" x 15".

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PACKAGE OF THREE POT HOLDERS

SWEET DREAMIN'

EMBROIDERED PILLOW CASES

Delicately embroidered pillow cases in a charming array of designs. Cotton soft, White. Approx. size: 42".

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THICK & THIRSTY COTTON TERRY BATH TOWELS

each.